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FEDERAL TOPICS.

THE FRENCH AND AMERICAN CLAIMS COMMISSION.

The Charge of Restupment of Chinese Sugars Pronounced Groundless—Decisions of the United States Supreme Court—Springer Interviewed About the Iroquois Banquet.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—A dispatch to the department of state heretofore mentioned in the dispatches from Rollin M. Daggett, United States minister, resident at Honolula, relative to the alleged reports that Chinese sugars are brought to that port and reshipped from there to the United States as the product of Hawaiian islands in order to secure advantages of our reciprocity treaty with that kingdom, shows that such reports are, in his opinion, entirely without foundation. During the year 1882, which Daggett particularly investigated, only four vessels arrived at Honolulu from Chinese ports, and none of these brought or discharged Chinese sugars. Daggett submits also considerations which go to strengthen his belief that charges of such illicit proceedings on part of any parties, is not only groundless, but asserts that it is next to impossible to successfully operate in that way. Even granting under the most favorable condition of things that this could be done, the necessary expenses incidental to this work, viz., lighterage to shore, loading and transporting sugars inland from one to five miles, mixing and working in Hawaiian sugars, resacking, reloading and retransporting to the shore and lighterage to vessel, would be in excess of evaded duties. Under all the circumstances, therefore, Doggett is firmly of the belief that Chinese sugars have not been in the past, nor are they now, brought to Hawaiian islands and reshipped to the United States as products of Hawaiian plantations. The French and American claims commission met to-day. The cases of Lemore brothers against the United States were decided. These were claims for damages for imprisonment by General Butler, at New Orleans, on the ground that they were carrying out a contract to deliver three hundred thousand yards of grey cloth to the confederacy. The defense was that the contract was made before the federal troops acquired possession of New Orleans and that nothing was done by the claimant after that time. Albert Lemore recovered $10,000 and Jules Lemore $4,000. The United States commissioners dissented.

The case of Kuhnagel vs. the United States was also decided. Kuhnagel claimed to be a French citizen of the United States and introduced a decree of naturalization of Kuhnagel which Kuhnagel declared was obtained by misrepresentation, and had been revoked by the court making the decree He was awarded $125, with interest from June 11, 1864. The United States commissioner dissented.

L. DeCaulve vs. the United States, was awarded $500, with interest from March, 24, 1883. Jean Minvielle vs. United States was awarded $100, with interest from April 1st, 1864. St Arramant vs. United States was awarded $500, with interest from January 1st, 1865. Gachal against the United States was awarded $430, with interest from April 1st, 1864. Cases of McDaniel, Ammon et al., Francois Thierville and Mary Debarieris, all against the United States were dismissed.

THE SUPREME COURT.

The High Tribunal of the Land Renders Decisions in Two Important Cases.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—A decision was rendered by the supreme court of the United States to day in the case of J. B. Wall, brought here upon petition for mandamus from the United States district court for the southern district of Florida. Wall petitioned and was disbarred and forbidden to practice in the United States courts of the district above mentioned, for having taken part in lynching a prisoner named Jobu, who was in jail at Tampa waiting trial on charge of rape. He petitioned for a writ of mandamus to compel the United States district judge to restore to him the rights and privileges of an attorney in said court on the ground that his disbarment, without due trial and conviction for crime, was unconstitutional and void. This court, in an elaborate opinion by Justice Bradley, holds that while there is no settled and inflexible rule for the regulation of procedure in cases of this kind, federal judges may, in their discretion, disbar an attorney who has been guilty of conduct of such a nature as to bring disgrace and scandal upon the court, whether he has been duly tried under criminal laws of the state or not. The petition for mandamus is therefore denied. Justice Field read the dissenting opinion.

A decision was also rendered by the court to-day in the bond case of Charles E. Lewis, plaintiff in error, against the city of Shreveport, Louisiana, in error to the circuit court of the United States for the district of Louisiana. This was a suit upon coupons of a series of bonds issued by the city of Shreveport in aid of the Texas and Pacific railroad company. This court holds that the bonds are void for want of valid legislative authority. That unless specific authority has been given by the legislature to municipal corporation to grant pecuniary aid to railroad companies all bonds of municipality purporting on their face to be for such purpose are void even in the hands of bona fide holders and this, whether people voted aid or not. Every purchaser of such bond is chargable in law with notice of want of power in municipal authorities to bind the body politic in that way. In this case it is not pretended that any such power was expressly granted, and there is no provision of the charter from which anything of kind can be inferred. Judgment was affirmed with costs. Opinion by Chief Justice Waite.

POLITICAL TRIALS.

The South Carolinians to Go Upon Trial To-Day in Charleston, South Carolina.

Special to the Constitution.

CHARLESTON, April 16.—The political trials will begin in the United States court in this city to-morrow, Chief Justice Waite and Judge Bond presiding. The government will be represented by District Attorney-General Melton, ex-Chief Justice Willard and Mr. F. Snyder. The defendants will be in the hands of two of our ablest lawyers, ex-Governor A. G. Magrath and ex-Attorney-General Leroy Youmans, who have been employed under a resolution of the state democratic executive committee. In addition to these distinguished advocates, Colonel John C. Haskell, of Columbia; Senator H. A. Gilliard, of Winnsboro; Major W. E. Earle, rof Sumter and several members of the Chaleston bar, will assist in the defense. The events of the past week have proved beyond a doubt that Melton, and not Brewster, is the instigator of these infamous prosecutions; and the refusal of Cowley to engage in the work, together with the announcement made yesterday by the chairman of the state republican committee to the effect that his party has no interest in the cases, and that the greenbackers are pressing them to further their own ends. These divest the trials of that national importance which they possessed a week ago.

I had a short conversation with Willard, and he informed me that his cases were so well prepared that he was confident of several convictions at the present court. "But if we can't secure convictions now," he remarked, "we will manage things differently when the court meets at Columbia in November next." General Youmans and his allies felt certain that the prosecutions must fail, because they have no foundation to rest upon.

THE IROQUOIS BANQUET.

Congressman Springer Interviewed in Regard to the Sentiment.

CHICAGO, April 16—Congressman Springer, of Illinois, who has been in this city since Thursday, was interviewed to-day with regard to the published statement that the sentiment of the democratic leaders present at the Iroquois banquet favored Tilden for president in 1884. He said the meeting was in the interest of no candidate and as he knew no preference was expressed. The only object of the meeting was to enunciate democratic principles, and to voice the sentiment of the party on the great questions of the day. There was an overwhelming sentiment, however, in favor of tariff for revenue only and he was convinced that the representatives of the northwest would demand an insertion of this plank in the platform of the next national democratic convention.

KELLY'S CROWD.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The annual election of the Tammany society was held to-night. The usual and well known ticket, headed by John Kelly, Augustus Schell and Richard Croker, were elected sachems.

SEEKING HOMES.

Large Bodies of Evicted Irish Farmers Coming to America.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Sixty-nine evicted farmers from counties Mayo and Galway reached this city by the steamship Indiana. They boarded the steamer at Queenstown and came to this country mainly through the charity of the funds that have been raised in Great Britain and Ireland for the purpose of relieving cases of distress growing out of the land trouble. They presented a pitiable picture of distress, and most of them carried all their worldly effects in a sack or bundle.

BOSTON, April 16.—The British steamer Nestorian brought 650 passengers, most of them impoverished Irish people sent over at the expense of the English government. The greater part are families, some numbering eight or ten members, while a majority is about five. The majority came from Galway county—others from Mayo, Derry and Donegal. The most of those from Galway had been evicted. An agent of the government furnished money to those who desired to go to places beyond Boston, the amount depending on the size of the family, some receiving a few shillings, others two pounds, three pounds, five pounds or six pounds. A great many of the men were farmers, but seem undecided as to what they shall do here. Some are going to New York, others to Pittsburg. Portland, Chicago, Canada and other places, while some will remain in Boston and vicinity. Several paid their own way, but brought little with them in the way of money or household goods. The steamer Parthia from Liverpool also brought a large number of the same class of emigrants.

A TEXAS METEOR.

A Happening That Has Surprised and Frightened the Citizens of Brown County.

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 16.—A dispatch from Williams Ranch, Brown county, says that about 2 o'clock Sunday morning a great meteor fell in the outskirts of town, killing several head of cattle and destroying the dwelling house of Martinez Garcia, a Mexican herdsman, who, with his family, consisting of a wife and five children, are buried beneath the ruins. In its descent the meteor resembled a massive ball of fire, and the shock was similar to that of an earthquake. It is still hot and steaming. It is imbedded in the earth probably one hundred feet and towers above the surface about seventy, and will cover about one acre of ground. The concussion was terrific, nearly every window in the town being shattered. People were hurled violently from their beds, and goods in storehouses were thrown from their shelves. No lives were lost as far as known, except those of the Mexican herdsman and his family, although several buildings fell to the ground. Cattle fled in terror in every direction. The air was filled with sulphurous gas. The wildest confusion prevailed, as it was a long time before any body could even conjecture what it was. This is the largest meteor that has ever fallen and it has already been visited by many people, and will doubtless continue to attract great attention for months to come. It has occasioned great excitement, not only here, but in all the surrounding country.

THE LAND LEAGUE.

Major O'Byrne, of Cincinnati, Denounces the New York Meeting.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Major John Byrne, of the Cincinnati land league, has written to General O'Berne, of the New York land league, denouncing the sentiments expressed and the action taken at the meeting of the Rossa faction in New York on the eighth, expressing the belief that Rossa and his fellows are paid agents of England to injure the cause of Ireland, and asserting that the meeting referred to has caused much distress among the patriotic friends of Ireland in the west, and begging that the conservative element at New York take some reassuring action. The letter condemned the dynamite policy, and declares the true land league policy to be consistent with American citizenship.

The following reply was telegraphed:

NEW YORK, April 15—Major John Byrne, President United Land League, Cincinnati, Ohio: New York has one wise and responsible Irish element—this is calm conservative and determined, and sustains Mr. Parnell. Don't heed crawlers and soreheads Newspaper publicity give them their only importance. The western men at convention will find New York solid with them.

WM. B. WALLACE, President.

A Carpenter's Strike.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Journeymen carpenters made a demand for $3.50 per day and that eight hours should constitute a day's work, on Saturday. But few of the men it was said left work as a majority of the shops agreed to comply with the demand. In twelve shops where employers refused the demand work was stopped when the men were told to resume their labor on their own terms. Two others of the shops where men had struck sent word later to the carpenter's committee that they would pay the rates demanded and asking for fifteen men to go to work at once. Committees are to-day visiting different shops, and it is said are meeting with great success, as a number of men who did not belong to the union have struck. The carpenters' committee say that they are fighting two large shops, which are expected to give in to-day. On account of wet weather but few painters went to work, and consequently the strike which was contemplated did not occur. The men, however, will lay their demands for $3.50 per day before their employers during the day, and if they are not agreed to they will strike.

A Big Shipment of Cattle.

Special to the Constitution.

FORT WORTH, April 16.—A contract has just been closed here for the shipment of 75,000 head of cattle from the grazing region south of this city on the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railroad to Wicha Falls, 114 miles north. It requires 3,000 cars, or 215 trains of fourteen cars, which is a total expense of $105,000. This shipment is rendered necessary by a large amount of fencing recently put up in the southern part of the state.

A Duel With Knives.

STOCKTON, Cal., April 16.—Henry Emil Johnson and James Donnelly met in a store to-night and fought with knives, killing each other. Both men stabbed in the breast.

SEEKING A DIVORCE.

EX-GOV. HUBBARD'S DAUGHTER GRANTED A WRIT.

After Four Years With Her Husband She Now Seeks Liberty—On Trial for Arson—Raped and Murdered—Bank Burglary—A Conspiracy Case—Other Crimes, Etc., Etc.

HARTFORD, April 16.—The sequel to the elopement of Miss Nellie Hubbard, the youngest daughter of ex-Governor Hubbard, and her marriage to her father's coachman, Frederick Shepard, four years ago, has just been made known to her friends here, who learned for the first time to-day that Mrs. Shepard had secured a divorce from her husband. The story of Miss Hubbard's hasty action, in deceiving her father and marrying a man so far beneath her, not only in the social, but in the intellectual scale, has had the ending which such stories generally do have—repentence at leisure for what was done in haste. Miss Hubbard, who was at the time a young girl scarcely 18 years of age, was secretly married to Shepard at Westfield, Mass., on March 11, 1878, while her father's family were absent from Hartford. Shepard, who was about thirty years old, had acted as coachman for ex-Governor Hubbard for about a year and a half. So far as his character went, very little could be urged against him, except that he had formerly been a hackman, a fact from which it was argued that he must have been accustomed to associate with characters of doubtful morality. He was a young fellow of good address, and did not drink or swear, but he was very illiterate. Miss Nellie undertook to teach him to read and write, and while engaged in this laudable effort to benefit his condition she lost, or imagined that she lost, her heart. The fact of the marriage was not made known to ex-Governor Hubbard until March 22, eleven days after the ceremony, when the marriage certificate was sent to him by the groom's parents. His daughter was preparing to leave the house to join her husband when this document was placed in his hands. The heart-broken father confronted her with the certificate, and she then candidly acknowledged that she was married to Shepard, declared with the enthusiasm of a woman in love that her husband was fully worthy of her, and left the house to join him, despite the attempts of the grief stricken father to restrain her. From that time to this Nellie's name, it is said, has been a forbidden word in the household of ex-Governor Hubbard. The old gentleman disowned the girl, who had hitherto been his favorite child, and positively refused to receive any communication from either her or her husband.

After the sensation created by her marriage and died away, Mrs. Shepard fell quietly out of sight of her former aristocratic friends, and she would have been almost forgotten but for her proceedings to secure a divorce, which have once more revived the memory of her romantic marriage. After the wedding the couple remained in this city for about two years. For a few days they kept themselves perfectly secluded, and Shepard feared to show himself in public lest he should be assaulted by his former master and father-in-law, but finally finding that the ex-governor took no more notice of him than if he were dead he secured a clerkship in a Hartford shoe store, where he worked faithfully. His young wife had plenty of money at this time, some that was hers in her own right, and more, it is said, from the ready purse of her heart-broken mother, who, while bowing meekly to the will of her husband, could not suppress all love for her darling child. The couple lived very happily for a time, and a child was born to them, a girl, to cement their union. About two years ago they removed to New Haven, where Shepard started a large livery stable in State street, with money furnished by his wife and friends. The stable is connected with a large hotel, and yields quite a revenue to Shepard, who is still running it. They engaged a cozy cottage in a pleasant street, and here for a time all went well. But the domestic peace was to be shattered in New Haven. Mrs. Shepard became tired of her unlettered husband, and they began to find that their tastes in almost everything ran in counter directions. Shepard attended strictly to his business, and Mrs. Shepard, who was not received with open arms by New Haven society, showed her contempt of the fashionable world, of which she had formerly been a belle, by purchasing a dog-cart and a handsome pony, with which she appeared in the streets, elegantly attired, on every pleasant day. The beautiful woman naturally attracted admirers, and among them one is said to be an aged and wealthy manufacturer of New Haven, and another a millionaire of New York, who frequents the Turf club in that city. Shepard became jealous of his wife, with or without cause, and the result was that the two separated several months ago and have not lived together since.

When the breach occurred Shepard went to live in a hotel, and the wife remained in the cottage with her child. The husband called frequently to see his child, and on such occasions Mrs. Shepard left the two together. Some four months ago she gave up her cottage and went to live in the Selden house, at New Haven. The breach between her and her husband was constantly widening, although it was very apparent that Shepard still idolized his wife. Some three months since when the rumor that she was about to seek for a divorce was first spread, a friend of Shephard's spoke to him on the subject. He cried like a baby then, and said that he had always been true to her, and should always love her devotedly. He acted like a child that was being punished, refused to believe that his wife would ask for a divorce, and seemed to be confident that she would ultimately return to live with him.

Mrs. Shepard's lawyer in moving for the divorce was N. L. Blydenburg, who figured as the counsel for the Malley boys in their trial for the murder of Jennie Cramer. The cause for which the divorce was granted is said to be abandonment, Shepard making no counter charges. Great efforts have been made to keep the fact that a divorce has been granted secret in Connecticut, the lawyers and the judge doing all in their power to conceal the record from the public. It is thought by some that Mrs. Shepard, having disembarrassed herself of her plebian husband, will be welcomed back to her father's house, but the general opinion is that ex-Governor Hubbard will never recall the denunciation which he pronounced against his daughter four years ago.

TRIED FOR ANSON.

hree Incendiaries on Trial at Bridgeport, Ala—Other Crimes and Casualties.

CHATTANOOGA, April 14.—Ashby Hughes, John W. Grayson and George Hughes charged with burning Henry Porter's house, near Bridgeport, Alabama, on Sunday night, March 25th, were examined in preliminary trial and so strong was the evidence that they were held in $5,000 bonds each, in default of which they were committed to jail. The audacity of these men has but few parallels, and would have done credit to the famous James gang, though it did not result in loss of life.

On the night mentioned Mr. Henry Porter, with his family, in company with Mrs. R. J. Chubbuck, a wealthy New York lady, who was visiting Mrs. Porter, was quietly sitting in the parlor, when three or four men went stealthily to the dwelling with pistols in hand, commenced firing through the windows, breaking down doors and shutters and entered and commenced ransacking the house from room to room, and in disguised voices demanding $500 as a condition upon which they would desist. The family appealed to them, and asserted and reasserted in vain that there was no money in the house or about the premises. Two of the men were seen to leave the room, and in a few moments the crackling of flames told the already terrified occupants that the house was on fire. The fiends watched the inmates as they endeavored to save the most highly prized articles. Miss Standish, sister of Mrs. Porter, with almost superhuman efforts dragged out her trunk and that of her room companion, Mrs. Chubbuck, beyond the reach of the flames, but only to see the hardened villains seize and carry them away before her eyes and hear them smashed with heavy blows, and to realize that they were being robbed of not only articles of money value, but of mementoes, relics, statuary and keepsakes held as sacred as life itself.

A witness named Frize came to the scene in time to recognize one of them, Hughes, which caused the arrest of the whole party. Over a quarter of a century ago Henry Porter, a native of western New York, but who had moved and lived in Wisconsin in consequence of weak and weakening lungs, came south and settled on Sand Mountain, near the spot upon which the ruins lie. Although a northern man, Mr. Porter was extremely southern, even to bitterness, in his feelings during and since the war. His wife is a descendant of the family of Miles Standish, distinguished in the history of the colonies and the revolutionary war. Mr. Porter is now over eighty years old, has been a cripple for several years, very much enfeebled physically, and his mind seriously impaired by age, mental and bodily afflictions.

Miss Sue Z. Standish, sister of Mrs. Porter, was for several years connected with the Lookout Mountain Institute, a high school established on the point of Lookout mountain overlooking Chattanooga, some years ago, as teacher in the musical department, for which she was by education and experience, and in other material respects, eminently qualified. She resigned her position and a $1,000 salary, and went upon Sand Mountain to reside with her sister, Mrs. Porter. She was visited by Mrs. Chubbuck, her New York friend, who had been left a widow with only one son, who had also died. Mrs. Chubbuck has been reared, and it may justly be said that she was an ornament, in the most refined circles of society in New York city, and elsewhere in that state. Mrs. Chubbuck induced and aided Mr. Porter to erect a handsome residence, costing several thousand dollars, on the brow of the mountain, in full view of Bridgeport and other points for several miles along the Nashville and Chattanooga railroad, and from which Bridgeport, Stevenson, Alabama, South Pittsburg, Jasper, Tennessee, and the Tennessee river can be viewed with the naked eye on a clear day.

RAPED AND MURDERED.

CHICAGO, April 16—A special from Meadeville, Miss., says: Tom Bailey, colored, criminally assaulted a young negress and after murdering her, threw her body in a pond. This morning a mob took him from jail and hanged him.

CHICAGO, April 16.—President Potter, of the North Chicago rolling mills, states that the mill will again be in operation in 3 or 6 months or not at all. They will not be started while present prices continue, 4,000 men have been thrown out of work by the stoppage of these mills Potter thinks that ⅓ of the rails needed this year are already in the market and expresses opinion that the outlook for laborers now out of employment is a very dark one.

BANK BURGLARY.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16.—Thieves entered the Metropolitan bank, corner Canal and Charles streets, last night by cutting through a wall from an adjoining building. They seized and gagged the watchman and blew open the bank vault. The money bank box in the vault was opened and valuables stolen. The safe inside the vault was undisturbed. The loss is not believed to be great, as many of the boxes had been there a long time. Cashier Van Horne says the amount obtained by the cracksmen will not exceed $2,000.

TWO TEXAS MURDERERS.

GALVESTON, April 16.—A special to the News from Jacksboro says: During a quarrel between Joseph Blackeray and James Wyrick, Saturday afternoon, the latter was shot and killed. Another special from Jacksboro to the News says: Yesterday John Green, Jr., shot and instantly killed Uncle Joseph Winchester. Winchester drew a knife and was advancing on Green when the latter fired. The affray was the result of an old grudge.

A CONSPIRACY CASE CONTINUED.

RICHMOND, April 16.—The case of R. B. Mumford, commissioner of revenue in Richmond, on trial for conspiring with his deputies to hinder and obstruct the voting at the last election, was again called this morning, but owing to the continued illness of one of the jurors, was postponed till next July. All the indicted parties were held to bail for their appearance.

SHOT AND KILLED.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16.—A dispatch from Crystal Springs, Miss., to the Times-Democrat says: Dr. E. W. Crum was shot and killed Saturday at Chapel Hill by Jacob Rumpt. A feud existed between the parties for some time. Rumpt shot Crum with a shot gun from a wagon while the latter was approaching on horseback. Rumpt was arrested.

BURNED TO DEATH.

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 16.—Two children about eight years old were burned to death here yesterday in a dry goods box. The box contained some straw which they set fire to by smoking caragettes.

A MURDERER HANGED.

MONTREAL, April 16.—Timothy Malloy, murderer of William Nesbett, a farmer of Tongue Point, was hanged in the jail yard at 8 o'clock this morning.

A CONVICT SHOT.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 16.—Phil May, an escaped convict, was shot and killed Friday near Huntsville, Alabama, while resisting arrest.

Epsom Meeting.

LONDON, April 16.—All horses that Keene had entered for the Epsom spring meeting have been scratched. The latest betting on the race for the city and suburban handicap, to be run at Epsom on Wednesday, is as follows: Three to one against the duke of Westminster's Ghetevan; six to one against Lorillard's Sacham; six to one against Prince Saltikoff's Seabell. Of out-siders twenty to seven is offered against Lord Rosemore's Passiac and twenty-five to seven against Lorillard's Iroquois.

A Jail Delivery Foiled.

LYNCHBURG, April 16.—The city sergeant to-day discovered that Albert Quible, a deperate negro serving sentence for house breaking, has chiseled a large hole through a thick rock of his cell which he covered with a blanket, and threated to murder any prisoner who should divulge the fact. All the occupants of he cell were to have escaped to-night, but the plot was discovered.

A Steamer Sunk.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16—Machecca Bros., owners of the steamer Calvert, Captain Hunterman, which recently sailed from Baltimore to New Orleans via Port Antonio, Jamaica, have been notified that the Calvert was sunk Sunday night at Port Antonio by the schooner Alpine.

Moulders' Strike.

CLEVELAND, April 16—Forty-five union moulders left the cooperative stove foundry to-day because the proprietors had called in three non-union men to do certain work taken from the foundry recently burned, with which the union men were not familiar.

THE FIRE FIGHTERS.

A GALA DAY WITH THE FIREMEN AT MACON YESTERDAY.

A Splendid Attendance—Ten Thousand People Out to See the Procession—The Line of March—The Contest and the Successful Contestants. Awarding of the Prizes, Etc.

Special to The Constitution.

MACON, April 16—The fireman's parade today was the grandest turnout ever witnessed in Georgia. Macon was crowded to overflowing with visitors. The weather was beautiful and everything auspicious. There were over ten thousand spectators, and windows and balconies were filled with ladies. The streets were lined with men, women, children and vehicles. The procession of firemen was extraordinarily fine. Fifteen companies participated with over one thousand firemen. The companies assembled at half past eight o'clock this morning on Second street opposite the hook and ladder house. The following was the order of the procession: Police, Macon Volunteers' band, mayor and council in carriages, visiting chiefs in carriages, Hook and Ladder No. 3., of Augusta; No. 1., of Barnesville; No. 3., of Macon; No. 1., of Brunswick; No. 4., of Macon; No. 3., of Albany; No. 2., of Griffin; Eufaula delegation, Athens delegation, No. 5., of Macon; No 5., of Columbus; Savannah delegation, No. 2., of Macon; No. 6., of Macon; No. 1., of Griffin; No. 7., of Augusta; No. 1., of Macon. The line of march was up Second to Plum, down Plum to Fourth, up Fourth to Poplar, up Poplar to Third, up Third to Second, down Second to Mulberry, countermarch up Mulberry, where the foremen rendered reports, the parade was dismissed and the contest began. The judges weighed each reel with one man allowed every 75 pounds of weight, the reel to carry 350 feet of hose. Couplings to stand 24 pounds pressure, to run one hundred yards to plug, attach, lay one hundred feet of hose, disconnect, attach pipe, and throw twenty-five feet of water. Second test—reel stationed 25 yards from the plug. Ten men allowed to make the test, to be started 75 yards away, run to reel, catch same, carry it to the plug, attach, lay 50 feet of hose, disconnect, attach pipe, play 50 feet of water. The companies ran in the following order, making the following time: Stonewall No. 2, Griffin, made the first run; first test, 25 8-100 seconds; second test, 25 seconds. Young America No. 3, of Macon, first test 23 13 100, second 22 4 3-100; Vigilans No. 3, of Augusta, first test 34 9 100, second test 24 6-100; Mechanics No. 4, of Macon, first test 25¼, second test 25. Defiance No. 3, of Albany, first test 31 3-100; second test burst; Jeff Davis No. 1, of Barnsville, first test 25 58-100; second test 23 83-100; Young America No. 5, of Columbus, first test 29 5-100; second test 26; Ocmulgee No. 2, of Macon. first test 29 8 100; second test burst; East Macon No. 6, first test 24¾; second test burst; Griffin No. 1, first test 28 31-100; second test burst; Protection No. 1, Macon, first test, burst; Augusta, Richmond, first test, 28; second test, burst. No. 3, of Macon, won the first prize of one hundred and fifty dollars in gold, first test; also received $25 in gold. The medal of gold, first prize, presented by J. P. Stevens & Co., and received a forty dollar chronometer for the best average time, presented by Judge F. Cannon. No. 3, of Macon, won the first prize, second test, $100; No. 6, Macon, won the second prize, first test, $75; No. 4 of Macon, won the second prize, second test, fifty dollars; William Brady, member of Young America, No. 3, Macon, won the foot race one hundred yards, winning a handsome suit of clothes and hat. Each company was allowed one representative competitor. No. 3, John T. Boifeuillet foreman, swept the field, making the best time, first test, and best average record ever made south.

This company is triumphant nearly every year, though in this parade Defiance No. 5 was favorite, selling choice in pools. Several thousand dollars were lost to-day on No. 5. One man lost over $500. The members of this company are very sore over their defeat, and entered a protest before the proper judges, claiming that persons rushed upon their hose when they coupled the plug, impeding the flow of water through the hose. The protest was not sustained and should never have been made. No. 3 and No. 5 are rival companies here. No. 3 badly beat No. 5 last year, beat her several seconds this year first test; second test No. 5 burst entirely. A grand fireman's banquet was held to-night at Masonic hall, with over 1,000 guests. W. B. Hill presented the prizes in a most happy speech. He referred to the ringing letter of Hon. Henry D. McDaniel, published in the Macon Evening Graphic a few days ago, declining, owing to heavy duties, to attend the Macon parade, and sustaining, in glowing terms, the Volunteer fire department. Foreman Boifeuillet made a response receiving the prizes on behalf of No. 3, Foreman Subers on behalf of No. 6, and Samuel H. Jemison on behalf of No. 4 The banquet was an elegant success. The Griffin and Barnesville companies did capitally. Stonewall, Griffin's crack company, and Griffin No. 1, did very good; Jeff Davis, of Barnesville, did excellent. Stonewall made a beautiful run. Barnesville did her part well. Likewise did Griffin No. 1. Osceola Butler, chief of the Savannah department, Chief McDowell, of Athens, and the chiefs of Americus, Columbus, Brunswick and other points are present. Chief Turpin, of the Macon department, paid them great attentions. The Macon firemen treated the visiting firemen royally, and elegant lunches were spread all day at the engine houses. The book and ladder company entertained splendidly. The entire occasion was a grand success. There were no disturbances. The contests were conducted fairly and liberally to all. Each company was allowed one timekeeper and two judges. The visiting and home companies were allowed equal chances in this respect. It was a gala day. Responding to loud calls Hon. W. A. Huff delivered a five minutes' speech. At the banquet this evening at 8 o'clock No. 5 christened the new hose reel "Mattie," named in honor of the daughter of Mr. W. A. Huff.

IRRITATED IRELAND.

An Effort to Renew the Police Strike—The Phœnix Park Trials.

DUBLIN, April 16.—An effort is being made to effect a renewal of the strike of the Irish police. A circular has been addressed from Belfast to all the stations throughout the country, advising and encouraging the men to strike, and urging that they would be justified in their action by the long delay of the commission in publishing the result of its inquiring into the grievances of which the men complained, and which have not been adjusted. The agitation among the men seems to have alarmed the authorities, as a circular was issued from the castle yesterday, appealing to them not to act rashly and promising that the conclusions arrived at by the commission will be published immediately. Inquiry made by Clifford Lloyd into the plot to murder in Crusbeen district, in connection with which a number of arrests have been made, has led to remarkable discourses. The first clue to the existence of a conspiracy was obtained by the confession of a man named Tubridy, who was wounded while engaged in an attack of an objectionable party by moonlighters. Tubrighty has given the full particulars of the murder of a man named Kennedy by the assassins, who were brought from a distance to perform the deed. Tubridy states that he belonged to a secret society in which he was obliged by threats to continue. In January, 1882, the society was reorganized with the special object of killing landlords, agents and spies. The local leader was a man named MacInerney. He introduced to the members a stranger from Dublin, who said that he had travelled through other counties and formed societies. He stated that the land league would supply the society with arms, and promised that the league would pay MacInerney the expenses incurred by the men who were sent out of their districts. He also said members might have to go to various parts of Ireland and even to England to shoot landlords and agents. The name of the new society was invincibles or vigilants.

DUBLIN, April 15.—After the verdict had been rendered against Joe Brady, on Friday, the foreman of the jury found a letter at home making frenzied appeals for return of a verdict of not guilty, and warning him that otherwise he would surely be killed. Daniel Curley, another of the men indicted for participating in the murder of Cavendish and Burke in Phœnix park, was placed on trial in Greene street courthouse this morning.

A servant girl, who was in the park on the 6th of May, was the first witness called. She fully identified Curley as one of the men she saw in the park on that day. James Carey was the next witness. He swore that just before Burke was stabbed, he (Carey) heard him telling Cavendish about the attempts that had been made to take the life of Forster. Carey admitted that he had been engaged in twenty attempts to take the life of Forster. He says he would not have called Forster's "removal" a murder. He also said that the conspirators had arranged for the assassination on the 4th of May last of Lieutenant Colonel Hillier, then inspector general of the royal Irish constabulary, and Burke. Carey said he did not think Burke deserved to be murdered, but he would not have cried at anything that happened to Forster. Farrel was the next witness. Upon the conclusion of his testimony court adjourned until to-morrow. Curley maintained an indifferent appearance throughout the session of court.

Dr. Webb, queen's counsel, one of the counsel assigned by the court to defend the indicted men, at the opening of the trial asked that he be released from that duty after the case of Curley is disposed of. The judge stated that he would give the request due consideration.

Mr. Adams, another of counsel for the defense, has also applied to be relieved from further duties at the end of the trial of Curley. The effect of the letter received by the foreman of the jury which tried Joe Brady threatening that he would be killed unless a verdict of not guilty was found was shown to-day by the fact that in the special jury panel called in the case of Curley there were fifty persons who failed to appear, notwithstanding that they were warned that a fine of £100 would be imposed on each absentee.

BIRMINGHAM, April 16.—The police who have been investigating the business transacted by Whitehead in his nitro glycerine factory here, believe that 200 pounds of that explosive made by Whitehead are still unaccounted for.

LONDON, April 1.—Mr. Parnell announces that if the projectors of the Irish convention to be held at Philadelphia, would postpone the meeting until autumn he might then be able to attend it. He therefore advises that the time for the assembling of the convention be deferred until fall.

The Times says: A group of societies, including one in Crusheen district, are implicated in nine of the most notorious murders ever committed in Ireland.

Bernard Gallagher, who was arrested in Glasgow last week, charged with connection with the dynamite conspiracy, was arraigned in Bow street police court to-day, and remanded for a week. The government expect to prove him to be the brother of a co-conspirator, with Dr. Gallagher one of the Lambeth prisoners.

CORK, April 16.—Three gunboats are cruising off this port. It is stated that they are waiting to intercept a vessel from America, having on board a consignment of infernal machines.

At the parade of the Constabulary force here to-day it was intimated to the men that the government was prepared for any emergency and that any one joining in the present agitation would forthwith be dismissed from the force.

DUBLIN, April 16.—It is reported that the government intends to negotiate with Tynan for the purpose of learning the real heads of the Invincibles, and the source whence their money was obtained.

OTHER FOREIGN NEWS.

MADRID, April 16.—In the senate Marquis De la Vega DeArmijo, minister of foreign affairs, declared that his note to the government at Washington condemning the application of the Monroe doctrine to the Panama canal and recommending the neutralization of the canal under joint American and European protection, had received the warm assent of several European powers.

VIENNA, April 16.—The president of the reichstag has received a letter warning him that an attempt would be made soon to destroy the parliament building. The structure in consequence is now entirely surrounded by a force of mounted police, who have been instructed to arrest any suspicious person discovered loitering near the building.

MARSEILLES, April 16.—There are now 20,000 dock laborers on a strike here, and it is expected that still more will join the strikers. Shipping interests are at a complete standstill.

HAVANA, April 16.—The home government has sent a cable dispatch authorizing the importation of female cattle duty free for another year into the provinces which suffered in the recent insurrection. The king has sanctioned the law continuing for 20 years franchises for mining and metallugical industries on the island, and both importations duty free for five years of mining material and implements.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 16.—The Mexican government denies the report circulated in the United States that Americans cannot acquire land in this country. The government generally grants permission needed to hold land within twenty leagues of the frontier belt. The prohibition to pre-empt uncultivated public lands in the frontier states does not apply to the possession of other land. With the exception of these old regulations the entire country is open to Americans. The constitutional restraint in article 87, simply prohibits religious communities and city councils from holding any real estate except the buildings they occupy.

Loaded With Dynamite.

LONDON, April 16.—The Observer states that an English vessel with a cargo of dynamite has sailed from Antwerp to England, and that the police are cognizant of her movements.

Furniture Factory Burned.

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—The furniture factory here of Stockhanser & Co., was burned late last night. Loss $45,000, insurance $21,000.

A Dead Duke.

SCAWERIN, April 16—Frederick Franz, second, Grand Duke of Mecklenburg Schwerin, died at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Dutch Ministry.

THE HAGUE, April 16.—A new ministry has been formed under Dr. Heemskerk as member of council of state.

GEORGIA ON WIRE,

AND THE OUTLYING TOWNS BRIEFLY PENCILLED.

Supposed Suicide of a Young Lady—Shooting at a Ghost—Strange Scrape in Covington—A Fire in Rome—Crops Throughout the State. Matters in the Forest City, Etc.

Special to The Constitution.

WARRENTON, April 16.—Miss Josie Hill, a daughter of Mr. Joe Hill, of Alabama, died very suddenly in this county yesterday. A small piece of wadded paper, containing strychnine was found in the fireplace of the room she was occupying, and it is supposed she committed suicide. She was about seventeen years old and was considered by those who knew her as a very nice young lady.

A BURGLARY.

Joe Seats's smokehouse was burglarized on last Saturday night. The burglars are now in jail.

Thomaston, Georgia.

A CHURCH WITHOUT A PASTOR.

Special to The Constitution.

THOMASTON, April 16.—The Baptist church of this place is still without a pastor, and has been for several months. Lonely it causes one to feel in passing it on a bright Sabbath day as yesterday was, and find its doors closed. Not many years ago the pulpit of this church was very ably filled by Rev. T. H. Stout, who is now of Troy, Alabama; and only a few months since in this church, the ringing voice of Rev. J. W. Fackler, who was much loved by his congregation, could be heard; and its been said of him that he was the peer of any preacher of his denomination in the state.

Carrollton, Georgia.

ADJOURNMENT OF COURT.

Special to The Constitution.

CARROLLTON, April 15.—Superior court adjourned late yesterday evening after nearly a two weeks term. Judge Branham, of the Rome circuit, presided during the last week of our court. The murder cases on our docket were continued until next term of court. Dan Clayton, a colored man, was sentenced to the chain gang for three years for burning B. M. Smith's ginhouse, near Villa Rica, more than two years ago.

FOR THE INSANE ASYLUM.

Deputy-Sheriff J. C. Skipper will leave next Monday morning for Milledgeville in charge of Mary Bonner, who has been adjudged insane.

Rome, Georgia.

A FIRE IN ROME.

ROME, April 16.—A fire in south Rome early this morning, destroyed the sheds of Bale's wagon yard, and the stables of W. M. Towers. The Rome fire department prevented it from doing any other damage.

A TRAPPER'S RACE.

Terrell Speed, a noted trapper in this section, gave an exhibition of fast running down Howard street this evening. A Hebrew creditor, with an officer and warrant, was the incentive.

THE JERSEY FEVER.

The Jersey fever is raging considerably among some of our citizens at present. Captain Pat Cline says he has a mule colt that is three-fourths Jersey.

Marietta, Georgia.

CONFIRMING A CLASS.

Special to The Constitution.

MARIETTA, April 16.—Last Sunday Bishop Beckwith confirmed a class of nine at St. James's (Episcopal) church. He did not deliver a regular sermon, an affection of his throat preventing, but those who heard him say they never listened to a more eloquent discourse than the lecture he delivered.

Miss Sallie Dick returned last Friday from New York city, where she has been visiting relatives. Miss Carrie Whitlock, accompanied by Mr. Pleas Shelman, left this evening to attend the grand ball given by the Cherokee railroad at Cedartown to-night.

A FIREMEN'S PARADE.

At their last monthly meeting the Marietta fire department decided to have a parade some time early in May. Committees were selected to secure music and perfect arrangements for a grand time generally.

Augusta, Georgia.

Special to The Constitution.

AUGUSTA, April 16.—At the opening of the April term of the superior court to-day Judge Roney charged the grand jury particularly in regard to illegal voting.

An old citizen of Augusta says he is positive that Joe Brady, who was condemned in Dublin last week for the murder of Cavendish and Burke, once lived in Augusta, and married here. He left here about twelve years ago.

Arrangements have been made for furnishing Augusta with Chicago beef, which will come in refrigerator cars.

The ladies are making preparations for a grand celebration on Memorial day, with a military display which will be more than usually imposing.

A telegram states that an Augusta fireman broke his arm in Macon while practicing Saturday night for to-day's contest.

Chattanooga, Tennessee.

THE CHATTANOOGA POLICE.

Special to The Constitution.

CHATTANOOGA, April 16.—Chattanooga has two police forces. The one elected by board of aldermen refuses to give place to the force appointed by the commissioners. Written notice was served on them to-day, and if they do not resign trouble is expected.

Mr. Kelley, barkeeper of the Read house, to-day received notice that he had drawn a $5,000 prize in the Louisiana lottery.

Four persons were arrested to day, charged with burning the large barn of the Lenoir manufacturing company.

A PAPER'S PLATFORM.

On assuming control of the Daily Democrat here, Major Conner says: "The Democrat will labor to illustrate the possibilities of the new south, extending a hearty welcome to the good and the true, without reference to the place of their nativity, their politics and their religion."

Athens, Georgia.

RESCUING A BIRD.

Special to the Constitution.

ATHENS, April 16.—An Athenian climbed to the top of a tall chimney Sunday to rescue an impaled bird from the point of a lightning rod, at the risk of his own life.

SHOOTING AT A GHOST.

A negro fired five times at a ghost last night and then took refuge in the Home school. The mayor fined him ten dollars. For months the negroes have reported seeing a white figure in Cobb hall.

CLOSING OUT.

E. C. Long & Co., druggists, are closing out their business here preparatory to moving to San Antonio, Texas.

FINED FOR BEING DRUNK.

At the Madison court Judge Pottle fined a man twenty-five dollars for coming on the witness stand drunk.

THE CONVENTION.

New suprises and entertainments are being daily prepared for the medical convention. The banquet will be the grandest ever given in Athens.

The trees are laden with fruit.

Covington, Georgia.

A STRANGE SHOOTING SCRAPE.

Special to The Constitution.

COVINGTON, April 16.—Mr. W. T. King, of our city, was found in a ditch near the Georgia railroad at 5 o'clock yesterday morning in an unconscious condition. Upon examination his left arm, just below the shoulder, was found to be shattered, the ball ranging upward and entering his body, dropping down into his stomach. Besides this injury the same arm was shattered below the elbow from blows of some nature. He is in a dangerous condition; is unable to give any clue as to how his injuries were received or, who his assailants were. Our town is rife with conjectures of every nature. Dr. Westmoreland, of your city, came down, and after examination, about 4 p. m. yesterday, decided his condition was such as would not admit of amputation at present. He returned to the city this morning and will come back this afternoon and make another examination. No substantial evidence points to any certain parties as the actors in the assault upon Mr. King. Some parties have been arrested from slight circumstancial evidence. Mr. King lies in a stupor most of the time, rallying at times, and asserting he knows not why the assault was made, or by whom. The affair is wrapped in mystery, and our entire community is under great excitement. Mr. King for many years has been the express agent at this point, and at present is assisting Mr. Brown, of the Georgia railroad, in the depot here. He is unmarried.

Montgomery, Alabama.

THE TAX BILL.

Special to The Constitution.

MONTGOMERY, April 16.—The supreme court holds that the old revenue law was repealed and being in force this settles the question without reassembling the legislature. Judge Bruce returns to Huntsville court to-night to continue court. The Birmingham mail robbers are the first to be tried. After adjournment there the United States district court commences here in May.

A FIRE PARADE.

The annual parade of Montgomery's efficient fire department takes place Wednesday, and big preparations are being made.

Paul Strobach, Jr., the late courteous receiver of public moneys, which office he filled satisfactorily for seven years, will make Magic City, Cal., his future home.

Thomas H. Carr's new steam cracker factory started to-day, turning out four hundred boxes daily. The boxes are made in the same establishment. The lecture of Dr. Mayo, of Boston, to-night, on "Universal Education, How it Pays," was well attended, finely rendered, and a rare treat. General Burke, of Mobile; General Warner, of Tecumseh Works; Colonels Foreacre and Buck, of Atlanta; Judges Bruce and Buckley, of Montgomery and Dimick and Trimble, of United States courts of Montgomery and Mobile, are organizing to-day for purpose of utilizing at an early day their recent purchases of about 7,000 acres of mineral lands in Walker county, in the vicinity of the Georgia Pacific railroad.

Governor O'Neal leaves to-morrow for his home in Florence for a week's recreation.

Albany, Georgia.

THE FLINT RIVER UP.

Special to The Constitution.

ALBANY, April 16.—The Flint river is on one of its highest freshets, and much damage to cotton land crops and fencing is apprehended.

CROPS IN DOUGHERTY.

A ride through a portion of east Dougherty yesterday showed the oats crop in excellent condition and acreage larger than is generally supposed. One large field noticed would average eighteen inches to two feet in height. Corn is small, but the stand is remarkably good. Some cotton is up and nearly ready for chopping, but the majority of farmers have not finished planting. Garden truck is promising and abundant everywhere. The fruit prospect was never better, and with good seasons from now on the present will rival the past year for fruit productiveness in southwest Georgia.

PROFESSOR HUNTER'S SCHOOL.

Professor Hunter's school takes the lead in a huge school picnic, to which all the Albany schools are invited, at the fair grounds on the 27th inst.

There were three colored interments in the cemetery here Sunday. One of them was an old and well known negro named Anthony Gilmer, who died at the county poor farm. He was said to be more than one hundred years old.

Defiance fire company left for Macon yesterday.

The weather to-day is cool with cool northwest wind prevailing. That is bad on young cotton.

Monroe, Georgia.

THE PROSPECTIVE GOVERNOR'S RECEPTION.

Special to the Constitution.

MONROE, April 14.—John Norton, an enthusiastic McDaniel man, was as happy as you please this morning as he "pulled out" from the Walton railroad depot, with his car loaded with Walton county citizens on their way to Social Circle to meet the next governor of Georgia. The engine was handsomely decorated with flowers by the ladies of Social Circle, and all was joy and enthusiasm as she leaped along the iron track amid the strains of music from the young but excellent Monroe brass band. When the train reached Social Circle a large crowd of ladies and gentlemen had already assembled at the Spencer house, although it was not definitely known that Major McDaniel would come down this morning, but sure enough he came and the air was rent with enthusiastic cheers, as he stepped from the Georgia railroad passenger coach to the soil of his home. The last notes of "Home, Sweet Home," had hardly left the horns before the name "McDaniel" was on everybody's lips. His response to the call was a brief but solid speech, full of gratitude to his friends for their efforts in his behalf. After his speech he was cordially congratulated on his nomination, when the train moved out for Monroe, where he was met at the depot by another large crowd of citizens. Governor Boynton reached Monroe late this afternoon, and is the guest of Major McDaniel. He will leave early in the morning for High Shoals. This is not, by any means, the first visit the governor has made to our county, and it is rumored that the day is not far off when Griffin's gain will be Walton's loss.

The governor was serenaded to-night by the Monroe brass band, and speeches were made from Major McDaniel's verandah, to a very large crowd of ladies and gentlemen, by the following persons in the order named: Governor Boynton, Major McDaniel, Judge D. H. Walker, Colonels Ray, Blalock and Edwards. Major Arnold and others were called on but did not respond. Major McDaniel stated in his speech, among other things, that it mattered not what his station or fortune, his heart would ever turn to the county of old Walton as it did twenty years ago from the lone isle of Lake Erie.

Savannah, Georgia.

MATTERS IN THE FOREST CITY.

Special to The Constitution.

SAVANNAH, April 16.—Among the freight of the steamship Nacoochee for New York were 4,685 sacks of corn to Glasgow, Scotland.

A gentleman of this city shipped to Atlanta to day as a present to Mr. W. H. Venable a valuable dog. The dog is a son of the celebrated dog that took the premium last fall in the New York bench show.

The new dredge Ogerepee started this morning to work upon the cut No. 4 in the land route, to shorten the distance between Savannah and Florida, under the late congressional appropriation.

In view of the smallpox in Jacksonville, Mayor Lester has ordered opened five vaccination depots in different quarters of the city, and parties are to be vaccinated free. The disinfecting corps is largely increased, and whilst no apprehension is felt every precaution is to be taken.

Burglars entered the grocery store of George S. Vanborne & Co., opposite the market early Sunday morning, by smashing in a front window. They were frightened off before securing booty of any value.

Chatham artillery is erecting an extensive shed in the armory yard for storage of the new guns. The Georgia Hussars contemplate purchasing a lot for erecting a new armory. These two are the richest military companies in the city.

The steam tug B. Brammell has been repaired and improved at a cost of $10,000, and under authority of the recent law has changed her name to-day to "Sapple."

Work on improving the theatre began today. The parquette is to be elevated and ornamental designs are to be introduced in the decorations. The dome is to be frescoed by a New York artist.

Captain A. N. Porter, commander Alec Clark, formerly plying between Savannah and Augusta, died to-night of heart disease.

Eppram Mitchell, colored, who was struck on the head two weeks since by Adam Dolly with a brick while standing on his door stoop, died this morning. Dolly has been arrested.

David Murray was accidentally shot and instantly killed in Ogerepee canal by John Lockett, his friend. While preparing to go on a hunt the gun was discharged prematurely. A verdict of accidental killing was rendered.

William D. Guann, conductor on the Savannah, Florida and Western railway, who was in charge of the recent Florida excursion party, this morning was presented with an elegant silver plated conductor's lantern as a testimonial.

Arrangements for the election Tuesday have been completed, Magistrate M. F. Molina, superintendent. Chatham will poll a good vote.

The German bark Empress sailed for Constadt to-day with a cargo of 3,150 barrels of rosin. Arrived, City of Columbus from Boston with a large cargo and a number of passengers. John Hopkins, from Baltimore.

Rev. T. B. Kinnard, who has been in charge of St. Mathew's Episcopal mission, leaves the 1st of May for Cherokee mission, northwest Georgia, formerly conducted by Rev. Mr. Reese, of Macon.

August Bewan, a well known German and a prominent member of Concordia lodge No. 444 D. O. P., died this morning.

Columbia, South Carolina.

DEATH OF DR. GEORGE HOWE.

Special to The Constitution.

COLUMBIA, April 16. — George Howe, D. D., L.L. D., president of the Columbia Theological seminary, and for more than 51 years a student and a professor in that institution, died at his residence in the city last night, after a short sickness. Two weeks ago, Dr. Howe was in his accustomed robust health and was active in the performance of his arduous duties. While returning from church last Sunday week in a carriage, an accident happened to the vehicle and all its occupants were thrown to the ground with considerable violence. None of them were seriously injured, however, save Dr. Howe, who sustained a violent shock, and other injuries of an internal character, which completely prostrated him. The venerable theologian was carried to the residence of his son, Dr. George Howe, and everything was done to alleviate his sufferings. Under the delicate ministrations of loved ones and the unremitting attentions of skilled medical practitioners, he improved immediately and hopes were raised that he would recover from his sickness. His improvement continued until last Wednesday night, when a sudden change for the worse occurred. This unfavorable turn in the patient's condition produced the gravest fears among his family and friends.

The Charleston Presbytery, which was in session here last Thursday, being apprised of Dr. Howe's precarious situation passed resolutions of condolence and offered fervid prayers for his restoration to health. But it was ordained that neither the supplications of the righteous nor the skill of learned physicians could thwart nature's course, and after sinking lower and lower the aged man of God passed away peacefully last evening, surrounded by a score of sorrowing relatives and friends.

SKETCH OF DR. HOWE'S LIFE.

This eminent theologian was born eighty-one years ago in New Hampshire. His father was a sturdy Englishman and his mother was Irish. They were pious and early sowed in the heart and mind of their only son, the seeds of truth and piety, which, under their careful nurture were destined to ripen into robust maturity and produce the choicest fruits. Dr. Howe enjoyed the very best advantage during his youth and then was given the privileges of a thorough training in Yale college. He pursued while at college a full course, and graduated with marked honors. Immediately upon his graduation he began preparations for the Christian ministry and soon afterwards came to this city and entered the theological seminary here. Since that time he has been a resident of Columbia. He was licensed to preach the gospel, but he preferred the class room, and his rare scholarship peculiarly fitted him for the professor's chair. He was chosen professor of Biblical literature and oriental languages, which chair he filled until he was elected to the presidency. This position he occupied till his death.

The deceased has been for many years recognized as one of the ablest living exponents of Calvanism. He was the leader of that branch of the adherents of Calvin known as the Sub Lafrarians. He wrote several works of great merit on doctrinal points, and his History of the Presbyterian Church South, is one of the ablest works of the kind ever written. As a preacher he was clear, orginal and convincing. As a Greek and Hebrew scholar he had few equals. Altogether he was a most remarkable man, and by his death the church is bereft of a tower of strength.

Dr. Howe's death has occasioned a profound sensation in Columbia and throughout the state. His son-in-law, Dr. B. M. Palmer, of New Orleans, has been telegraphed for, and the funeral will be delayed until his arrival.

We Told You So.

From the Camilla, Ga., Clarion.

A very close observer has just traveled through Thomas, Lowndes and Brooks counties, and says the potato crop looks more promising about Camilla than anywhere he has been. He says he has seen no truck farm ahead of Mans Culpepper's eight acre patch. What did we tell you last fall, gentlemen? We say again, we have the finest soil for truck farming in the state. Only let our people try, and others will soon find out what we already know. We have just clay enough to make the land strong, and sand enough to make it sufficiently porous and free. It is already notoriously conceded that the lands of Mitchell county produce more corn and cotton, without the aid of manure, than any of the counties below or above us, and that they retain moisture through the dry months much better than any of them.

A Relic of the War.

From the Greenesboro, Ga., Journal.

Young Charley Willment, the polite and gentlemanly news agent of the fast express of the Georgia railroad has a relic of the late war in the shape of a check. It is a draft at three days sight, dated Columbia, S. C., 7th of January, 1865, drawn by Henry Hiscock, captain company G, Missouri cavalry, on Frank Sherman, Chicago, Illinois, in favor of J. G. Eibless, for one hundred dollars in gold. On the back of the draft is endorsed a note to Mr. Sherman stating that it was given in return for money advanced for Hiscock's personal comfort while a prisoner of war at Columbia, S. C., and requesting that Mr. Shermen see to its immediate payment. The draft has never been presented or paid, and if not debarred by the statute of limitation, is worth to-day interest included, in the neighborhood of $300.

A Well Grown Fish.

From the Thomasville, Ga., Enterprise.

The late heavy rains, among other damages that it did, washed away a portion of the brick work at Mitchell's dam, and last Monday a number of fish were caught from the pond. Among them was a fine specimen of a German carp, with which Mr. Mitchell stocked the pond about a year ago. It was then a small minnow; now it is about two feet long and weighs about ten pounds. Mr. Mitchell refused to allow it to be eaten or to part with it, and it was placed back in the pond, though it would easily have brought $5. This is practical evidence of the rapidity of growth of the carp and its value as a food fish.

To Preserve Fruit Trees.

From the Newnan, Ga., Herald.

Rev. J. B. S. Davis says that he has good success in preserving his fruit trees from blight, by applying a mixture of tar and sulphur to the body of the trees in the early spring. Mix one quart of tar with one pound of sulphur, and add lard until reduced to the consistency of thin paste. Apply while warm, by rubbing with a cloth. The eggs and worms will thus be effectually destroyed.

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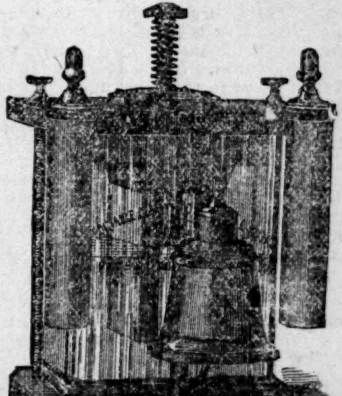

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND BY VIRTUE OF an order from the court of ordinary of said county, will be sold on the first Tuesday in May, 1883, within the legal hours of sale, on the premises, at No 99 Wheat, one good seven room house, and the lot 50 feet front by 150 feet back with ten feet alley on west side, bouned by lots of G. R. Boaz and John T. Hall, and known and designated as No. 99 Wheat street, in the fourth ward of the city of Atlanta. The lot is in good fix; house built in 1880, convenient, well arranged, and a very desirable and pleasant home, in good neighborhood, only 3¾ squares from carshed and Kimball house. Sold as the property of Mrs. Sally B. Rodgers, late of said county, deceased, for division among her heirs. Terms of sale will be one-third cash, and balance in four and eight months, with notes of sums of $100, and mortgage with power of sale, and purchaser to pay for deed and for mortgage and recording same, and also to assume tax of current year. A good chance for a home or for investment. Possession given first of July.

ROBERT L. RODGERS,
Administrator of Sallie B. Rodgers.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

AGREEABLY TO AN ORDER OF THE COURT of Ordinary of Fulton county, Georgia, will be sold at auction at the courthouse door of said county, on the first Tuesday in May next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property to-wit: Eleven (11 55-100) acres and fifty-five hundredths of an acre, being the south end of the west half of the east half of original land lot number eighty seven (87) in 14th district, Fulton county. Sold as the property of Micheal Gardiner, late of said county, deceased. Terms: One-half cash and the other half due November 1, 1883, with approved security and bearing interest at rate of 8 per cent per annum from date of sale. Said property will be divided up into half-acre lots and each sold separate. Maps of the same can be seen by calling on the undersigned, or Mr R. H. Knapp. The property lies well just outside city limits and near the new shops of East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad. It is well suited for building lots and for gardening purposes. Stream of never failing water runs through it. This March 31, 1883.

E. N. BROYLES, Adm'r.

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Administrator's Sale.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—BY VIRTUE of an order of the court of ordinary of said county, will be sold on the premises, within the lawful hours of sale, on the first Tuesday in May next, the east part of city lot No. 9, in the city of Atlanta, said state and county, fronting on West Mitchell street 150 feet, more or less, and running back south 300 feet, more or less, to Markham street, bounded on the north by West Mitchell street, west by Kane and Flesche south by Markham street, and on the east by an ally and part of land lot 84. To be sold as the property of Reuben Haynes, deceased, for the payment of debts. Terms cash.

W. A. HAYNES,
Administrator with will annexed.

G. W. ADAIR..............................AUCTIONEER

Administratrix Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER GRANTED BY THE honorable court of ordinary of Fulton county, Georgia, at the April term, 1883, will be sold on the premises, within the legal hours of sale, on May 1st (first Tuesday) 1883, the following described lot of land, being a part of city lot No. 3, in block No. (6) six, land lot No. 77, in the fourteenth district Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 52 feet on the northeast side of Hunter and running back (105) one hundred and five feet, more or less, to A. Albright's lot, being fifty-one feet wide in the rear and designated as lot No. 4 of the subdivision of the property of R. E. Gardner, bounded northwest by lot No. 3, and southeast by an alley 20 feet wide, on which there is a four-room house and basement. Sold as the property of the estate of Daniel C. O'Keefe, deceased. Terms cash. Atlanta, Ga., April 2, 1883.

SALLIE F. O'KEEFE,
Administratrix Daniel C. O'Keefe, deceased.

Administrator's Sale of the Cleveland Estate.

GOODE, FONTAINE & ELMORE, Auctioneers.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER FROM THE ORDInary of Fulton county. Will be sold on the premises Tuesday, the 1st day of May 1883. Commencing at 2:30 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to wit: Nine lots situated in the city of Atlanta, Ga., and laying on Houston, Hilliard and Cain streets, and described as follows: Three lots fronting on Houston street, each 49 feet front, and extending back about 135 feet. Five lots on Hilliard street, each 50 feet front, extending back about 141 feet to a 12 foot alley. Also one lot on Hilliard street 49 feet front, extending back 143 feet to alley. The whole track being bounded as follows: On the south by Houston street, on the west by Hilliard street, on the north by Cain street, and east by a 12 foot alley, which runs from Houston to Cain street. The property being part of the estate of W. L. Cleveland, late of said county, deceased. Sold for the benefit of the heirs and creditors of W. L. Cleveland deceased. Terms, half cash, balance in six months, with 8 per cent. interest, titles perfect.

JOHN B. WILCOXON, Administrator
of the estate of W. L. Cleveland, deceased.

G. W. ADAIR..............................AUCTIONEER.

Executor's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER GRANTED BY the honorable court of ordinary of Fulton county at the April term, 1883, will be sold on the premises, within the legal hours of sale, on May 1st, first Tuesday in May, 1883, the one-half undivided interest in all that tract or parcel of land situated in the city of Atlanta, land lot 53 in the 14th district, originally Henry but now Fulton county, Georgia, and being a part of city lot No. 36, bounded north by Fair street, extending along said street from its intersection with Martin street, westward 96 feet, bounded east by and extending along Martin street southward 150 feet, more or less, to a 12 foot alley, bounded by and extending along said alley on the south, westward 96 feet and bounded west by the property owned by Patrick Sullivan 150 feet, more or less, and containing one-third of an acre, more or less. Terms, ¼ cash, balance 3 and 6 months and 9 months, with 8 per cent interest. Sold as the property of the estate of R. C. Robson for the benefit of creditors.

J. R. SIMMONS,
R. A. ANDERSON,
Executors of the estate.
R. C. ROBSON,
Ap'l 3 10-17-24. Deceased.

Georgia, Fulton county.—To the Superior Court of said county.

THE PETITION OF LEWIS H. BECK, WILLiam A. Gregg, William M. Crumley, Jr., Campbell Wallace, Marion C. Kiser, Green T. Dodd, Elias Haiman and Albert J. Haltiwanger, shows that their object is to do an extensive business as dealers in hardware and other articles of merchandise such as may be found in hardware establishments, to deal in machinery, agricultural implements, supplies for railroads, factories and other like enterprises, and also to do such manufacturing of the articles in which they deal as they may desire. That to properly effect this object they should have, and they desire to have, perpetual succession and other corporate powers. That they have associated themselves under the name of "Beck & Gregg Hardware Company," for the purpose of carrying on the particular business aforesaid as a corporation. That the amount of capital to be employed by them, actually paid in, is one hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, which amount they desire the privilege of increasing to two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, when and as they may deem it advisable. That their place of doing business is the city of Atlanta in said county of Fulton. That the time for which they desire to be incorporated is twenty years, with the privilege of renewal at the expiration of that time.

They, therefore, pray that they and their associates and successors may be incorporated for the period aforesaid under the name of Beck & Gregg Hardware Company, with all the rights powers and privileges authorized by law, including the right of purchasing, taking, holding and using any property, real or personal, that it may be necessary or proper to have for the purpose of their organization, either in the conduct of its business or for securing any indebtedness to the corporation, and the same to alienate or otherwise dispose of at pleasure. This April 7th, 1883.

CANDLER, THOMSON & CANDLER.
Petitioners' Attorneys

A true extract from the minutes of Fulton Superior Court. C. H. STRONG, C. S. C.
-10-17 24 and 1 and 8th May.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—BY VIRTUE of an order of the Court of Ordinary of the said county, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the courthouse door of said county, on the first Tuesday in May next, being the first day of May, 1883, the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on Glenn street adjoining the lot of Wilson, and running along the line of said Wilson's lot one hundred and sixty (160) feet more or less to the rear of the estate of Jerry Freeman, deceased, thence east seventy (70) feet, thence parallel to said Wilson's line same width as rear to Glenn street, thence along Glenn street to the point of beginning, being a portion of the real estate of said Jerry Freeman, deceased, and sold as his property for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased.

ELI T. HUNNICUTT,
Executor with the will annexed.
JOSEPH H. SMITH, Attorney.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS—State of Georgia, Fulton County.—Notice is hereby given to all persons having demands against Mrs. Eliza J. Small, late of said county, deceased, to present them to me, properly made out, within the time prescribed by law, so as to show their character and amount. And all parties indebted to said deceased are hereby required to make immediate payment to me.

JULIUS L. BROWN,
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. Eliza J. Small.

THE RAILROADS.

CROSS-TIE GOSSIP IN AND OUT OF ATLANTA RAILROAD CIRCLES

A New Line to New York—Savannah, Florida and Western—The Georgia Pacific—The Standard of Time—The Savannah and Tybee—Meeting of General Passenger Agents.

EIGHTY per cent of the express business of the city enters or leaves the great cities.

THE following are the earnings of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway for the first week of April: 1883, $69,948; 1882, $53,509; increase, $16,439.

THE Louisville and Nashville is adding largely to its rolling stock in order to accommodate the moving multitudes which are coming to the Louisville exposition.

THE Georgia Pacific have, without doubt, located their depot between First and Second avenue about Twenty-sixth street. Property in that locality will of course enhance in value rapidly.—Birmingham Age.

COLONEL HASKILL is now in New York for the purpose of buying iron for extending the track of the Chester and Lenoir road on from Mayndon, its present terminus, towards Lenoir. There are now ready nearly enough cross ties for the entire length of the new portion of the line, and the work of track laying will probably begin at an early day.

THE lease of the Wabash road to the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern, like that of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas to the Missouri Pacific, is for a period of ninety-nine years, and will, it is understood, go into effect to-morrow. Its terms have not been formally given to the public as yet, but it is understood that the lessee company agrees to operate the line and keep it in a state of repair, paying over to the Wabash company the net earnings if any shall remain after the liquidation of the obligatory mortgage interest.

THE Iron Mountain and Southern people are northwest of Helena, repairing the track and raising still at work on the Langville river bottom 30 miles the trestle which was submerged by the late flood, and will keep more than 100 men there until all necessary improvements are made. Helena merchants are overjoyed at the quick time and low rates given them by the St Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern and much of the trade of this place has gone to Cincinnati, Chicago and other places by reason of the heavy charges of the Anchor line of steamers, and there is some complaint that many St. Louis merchants still ship by the Anchor line at every opportunity, even though the rate is less by rail, the time quicker, and an entire saving of insurance and other items of expense. It is reported that a new depot will be built in the heart of the city.

A MEETING of general passenger agents was held on Friday morning at the Grand hotel, Cincinnati, every road out the Chesapeake and Ohio being represented by its proper officer or a substitute. Mr. Samuel Stevenson, of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, was chosen chairman, and Mr. Charles O. Tangeman, of the Cincinnati, Indianapolis and St. Louis and Chicago, was made secretary. The object of the meeting was to organize a local association. There was little of importance done. At the late meeting of the General Passenger and Ticket Agents' association it was resolved that it is impracticable to check single pieces of baggage in excess of 250 pounds weight, and that after May 1st no single piece in excess of that weight will be checked. This resolution was referred to a committee composed of Messrs Barry, Eagan and Wilson, who will report at a meeting to be held on the 15th at the same place. The secretary was instructed to correspond with the local organization at Chicago and secure a copy of the constitution and bylaw, and other information of value.

Savannah, Florida and Western.

THE winter business on the Savannah, Florida and Western has been very heavy, and has been kept up partly by the excellent condition and management of the line. Work on the extension of the road has gone steadily ahead, and recently James L. Taylor, the general freight and passenger agent, has issued a circular announcing its completion to the junction with the Pensacola and Atlantic railroad at Chattahoochee, Fla. This opens a through line for traffic to points in western Florida. Through rates via this line to west Florida and all points west will be ready by the first of May, by which time every equipment for the running of the line to the junction will be ready.

Savannah and Tybee.

Savannah News.

Under an agreement between the Tybee Improvement company and the Savannah and Tybee railroad company, it was expected that the latter would put on a steamer between this city and the island, and keep the route open until their proposed railroad was built, but nothing has been done toward carrying out the contract. A meeting of the directors of the Improvement company was held yesterday afternoon, at Metropolitan hall, to consider the matter. The President, Captain T. S. Screven, was authorized to lease the route and the tramway, and make such other arrangements as would secure regular communication with the island during the summer.

Georgia Pacific.

While the Georgia Pacific is being pushed rapidly toward the Coosa from Anniston with a certainty of reaching the river by the first of May, the other parts of the line between Atlanta and Columbus are not being neglected. The gaps between track already laid from the river on toward Birmingham will be filled in ample time to give the promised through train from Atlanta by November. It is 124 miles from Birmingham to Columbus and construction for this distance is contracted for except 60 miles which will be let very soon. No reason will prevent the steady and rapid connection of Atlanta and Columbus by rail. The 111 miles of the road now complete from Atlanta to a point five miles beyond Anniston are already beginning to bring evidences of the wealth of the region traversed. Iron ore in large quantities is being shipped principally to the Rising Fawn furnaces and to furnaces in Tennessee. The rich copper ore found along the road is coming principally to Atlanta where the large sulphuric acid and fertilizer factories demand it.

The lumber business along the line, though now dependent on small mills, is considerable and will be very large when the timber men get well to work along the Tallapoosa ridge. By the fall the rich coal fields will be reached and Atlanta will warm herself next winter through the assistance of the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia and the Georgia Pacific cheaper than she ever did before.

The Standard of Time.

At the St. Louis Time convention Mr. K. H. Wade offered the subjoined:

Resolved, That this convention recommends the following as the future standard of time:

1. That all roads now using Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Toronto, Hamilton or Washington time, or standards east of those points or adjacent thereto, shall be governed by the seventy-fifth meridian or eastern time.

2. That all roads now using Columbus, Atlanta, Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis, Chicago, St Louis, Jefferson City, St. Paul or Kansas City time, or standards adjacent thereto, shall be run by the ninetieth meridian time, one hour slower than eastern time, to be called central time.

3. That west of the above named sections all roads shall run by the 105th and 120th meridian times, which are respectively two and three hours slower than eastern time.

4. That all changes from one standard to another shall be made at the termini of roads or at the ends of divisions.

5. That the secretary be instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to all general managers and superintendents, with a request for a response, whether in favor or not of their adoption, and endeavor to answer all objections, and embody the objections and responses in a report to be submitted at the next meeting of the convention.

The resolution was agreed to and the plan was recommended for adoption at the next meeting, in Chicago, October 11.

A New Line to New York.

From the Washington Republican.

The great loan of $12,000,000 made in London by the Baltimore and Ohio railway company, as reported in yesterday's dispatches the Republican, is made, as stated, to defray the cost of the construction and equipment of its new line between Baltimore and Philadelphia. The company's intention to build this road has been known since the spring of 1881, when the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railway passed into the hands of the Pennsylvania Central. President Garrett then announced that his company would build with all possible speed a direct line to Philadelphia, so as to give the Baltimore and Ohio independent communication with that city and New York. For over a year two corps of engineers have been engaged in surveying lines through Maryland and Pennsylvania, and the right of way has now been obtained under the sanction of acts of the legislature of Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania.

The giving of the mortgage and deed of trust, which is signed by vice President Robert Garrett for the Baltimore and Ohio and the trustees, show conclusively that President Garrett contemplates the immediate construction of the new road, which will form an important acquisition to Baltimore and Washington, as it will not only give additional facilities, but will also doubtless be the means of greatly reducing the cost of transportation from both cities to points northward and eastward. It is believed, from the fact that all the docks "owned or to be acquired" by the Philadelphia branch are expressly named in the conveyance to the mortgage trustees, that the terminus of the new road in Baltimore will be near Canton. Trains from the west will be run from the main branch to Locust Point, and transferred by the Baltimore and Ohio railway's steam barge to the Canton side, whence they will be forwarded north by the new Philadelphia road, instead of by the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railway, as at present. At the time of the purchase of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore road by the Pennsylvania railway, the latter corporation held out every possible inducement in the matter of traffic rights to prevent the Baltimore and Ohio from carrying out its threat of building a line of its own to Philadelphia. President Garrett was given every facility asked for, the Baltimore and Ohio coaches and freight were forwarded with the same promptness as were the Pennsylvania cars, and the great rival of the Baltimore and Ohio actually offered to bind itself for an indefinite period to allow the Baltimore and Ohio to use the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railway company for its through northern business. President Garrett, however, evidently did not desire to place himself permanently at the mercy of a rival and has been quietly maturing his plans, which will give his road through an untrammeled connection with the two great cities and the north. The route for the Baltimore and Ohio branch, as surveyed, runs for several miles parallel with and in sight of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, and several of the local stations are to be within a mile of each other. The twelve million dollars' worth of bonds that have been issued have, it is believed, nearly all been placed with English capitalists through Brown, Shipley & Co. The Baltimore and Ohio railway, Mr. John W. Garrett and the trustees named, will, however, hold a controlling interest, so as to prevent the road being gobbled by a rival corporation or parties inimical to Baltimore and Ohio interests.

MUCH AND MANY.

Delivery of Judge Bleckley's Famous Lecture at the Opera House Last Night.

Everybody knows what a fund of genial humor there is in Judge Logan E. Bleckley. It is the unfailing source of pleasure to his friends, and some months ago the desire of the general public to enjoy it led to the request that the judge should deliver a lecture. After many entreaties he yielded and spoke upon an original theme, "Much and Many." Last night he repeated the lecture for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society of St. Philips' church. Every one present was in good fortune. The judge was appropriately introduced by Colonel E. F. Hoge and went at once to his subject. The many are striving after the much. This striving and interstriving keeps the world of thought agoing; the community or individual who refuses to enter the great struggle is soon lost in the distance. One of the noblest efforts of the many is to make themselves and others happy. While he had rather be a good man than a happy one he was sure there were ten models of morality to one master of humor. The world owes a debt of gratitude to such men as Judge Longstreet, Mark Twain, John Phœnix, Bill Arp, Sut Lovingood, Dr. Thompson, Bret Harte, and Joel Chandler Harris. These men are at once my delight and my despair. The speaker eulogized laughter as the bearer of many benefits and the shield against many evils. If there is a merry devil he is the best of the dark crew. You ought not to bring your happiness into limbo without just cause. If you are despondent it is in the guard house. If you are meloncholy it is in the county jail. If you are sad it is in the chaingang. If you are miserable it is in the penitentiary. Any dunce can make himself and others suffer. It is the genius who makes you happy. I had rather be the philosopher of the future who will sound the depths of fun making for the world than to be the democratic nominee for governor with no republican opposition. The judge's definitions of the many and much were unique and amusing. Those of the various religious denominations called forth especial applause. Catholics are many under one roof. Protestants, many in many houses—some in dens, and not a few in the wilderness. Baptists, no umbrellas; throw away the haversacks to save the canteens. Episcopalians, many with their much and much with their many—spiritual Jerseys, registered. Many, indefinite quantity, with loose couplings, etc.

Referring to the adage of "many men of many minds" he said this diversity was the chief glory of the human constitution. If each had not believed the other had something the other had not speaker and audience would not have met and would never want to meet again. "Many birds of many kinds." There are of those beautiful creatures over 4 000 species. Of the humming bird alone there are 472 species—all found in America and not one anywhere else. A humming bird is poetry on wing. The home of the humming bird should be the home of the poet and painter and orator and poet. A humming bird hovering over the cup of a flower is ideal beauty sipping ideal sweetness.

To Senator Brown, after finishing the humming birds, the speaker alluded in the most complimentary and original manner. After detailing the big events in his career he said to remark that Joe Brown might be president would be equivalent to having said when Napoleon became consul of France that he might have become emperor. Stranger things have happened than that our Joseph, an original secessionist, might yet bring all the country together and issue decrees from the halls of the Montzumas to a republic covering this continent. Next he spoke of sweethearts. His first was where he was only six years old. Then they came in rapid succession. One he loved so dearly that when too timid to go to see her he would crawl through the bushes and feed his heart on the bark of her father's dog. That was his "puppy love." Much of what he had done, or was, or might, would, could or should be, he set down to the account of his sweethearts including her who administered on the effects of them all, and now held undisputed possession of all the assets and of him. The influence of a mother was tenderly alluded to. In conclusion Judge Bleckley said he would be undone if anybody thought his lecture profound, and happy if all thought it shallow. Depth is only another name for distance. He had rather talk plain nonsense than unintelligible wisdom. Bidding the audience goodbye he said, "I hope your days may be many and your happiness much." The lecture "took" charmingly and was interrupted very often with evidences of approval in laughter or applause. At its conclusion a handsome basket of flowers was handed to the lecturer, and all went home happier for what he had said.

BRADSTREET'S BUDGET.

Trade Embarrassments for the Past Week in Territory Adjacent to Atlanta.

There were 153 failures in the United States reported to Bradstreet's during the past week, 37 less than the preceding week, 42 more than the corresponding week of last year and 55 more than the same week of 1881. Compared with the previous week the middle states had 23, a decrease of 13; New England states 16, a decrease of 6; southern states 39, an increase of 2; western states 56, a decrease of 3; Pacific states and territories 14, a decrease of 17; Canada and the provinces 25, an increase of 1. The prominent failures were Williston, Knight & Co, New York, and the Williston & Knight company, buttons. East Hampton, Massachusetts; George Palen & company, leather and hides, New York; Babcock & Watrous, hat manufacturers, Middletown, New York. In the principal trades they were as follows: General traders 26; grocers 22; liquors 12; hardward 11; manufacturers 10; clothing 8; dry goods 8; shoes 5; drugs 4; hotels and restaurants 4; hats 4; fancy goods 3; lumber 3; tobocco and cigars 3; furniture 2; leather 2; bankers and brokers 2; jewelry 2; flour and grain 2; millers 2; butchers 2; crockery 2.

ALABAMA.

Epes Station.—J. J. Hillman, general store, who recently failed, is reported to owe from $30,000 to $45,000.

GEORGIA.

Atlanta.—A receiver has been appointed for Gillett Brothers, wholesale tobacco.

Savannah.—T. A. Boishaw, crockery, has assigned.

Savannah.—The Georgia and Florida inland steamship company is in the hands of the sheriff on a foreclosure of a mortgage, given to the Ocean steamship company.

Social Circle.—At a meeting of the creditors of Abercrombie & Son, general store, it was decided to turn over the entire assets to E. P. Newton, who assumes the indebtedness of $15,000, and agrees to pay seventy-five cents.

Tarboro.—Harrison Brothers, lumber and general store, are offering to compromise.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Orangeburg.—P. G. Cannon, hardware, has assigned.

TENNESSEE.

Chapel Hill.—Morton & Thompson, general store, have been attached and are being sold out.

Featherston.—W. S. Littleton & Co., general store, have assigned.

Lebanon.—Harlan & Sandy, blacksmiths, have suspended.

Lebanon.—T. J. Lea & Brother, grocers, have failed.

Lebanon.—Taylor & Fakes, manufactures of boots and shoes, have failed.

Lebanon.—J. C. Trinum, grocer, is reported to have failed.

Married in Haste.

On last Friday a runaway marriage, and of rather a romantic nature, occurred at Marietta, which has caused considerable comment and excitement in all circles. The contracting parties are a Mr. Wilson, who made his appearance at Marietta for the first time about two weeks ago, and a Miss Gable, a young lady well known in that quiet place. Not many days ago they met, perfect strangers to each other, but at once they plainly showed that they cherished for each other fond affections, and on Friday evening last, they ran away and were made man and wife. Their marriage was soon publicly announced, when the relatives of the fair young bride began making things too lively for their newly made kindsman, when he and his wife silently stole away and left for parts unkown, although it is the general opinion they are now in Atlanta. After the contracting parties had left Marietta, it was learned that Wilson has for some time passed been living near Acworth, where he has a wife and family. Yesterday Mr. Gable, a cousin of the young lady whose affections had been bestowed upon some other lady's husband, and to whom she had been united for life, reached the city and communicated to the police his mission, stating he was in search of the man who had misrepresented facts and married his cousin under false statements. A description of Wilson and his second wife was given the police, and a sharp lookout is being kept for their appearance.

Lost His Trunk.

A Mr. Jackson, who reached Atlanta by the Central passenger train yesterday at noon, employed a drayman to haul his trunk to Mrs. Samuel's boardinghouse on Pine street, and then on foot set out for that place himself. Late yesterday evening Mr. Jackson and a policeman were looking for the trunk and the drayman, but their search has so far been a fruitless one.

A Residence Burglarized.

Sunday night while the family was at church, Mr. Bozeman's residence, on Gilmer street, was entered by a burglar, who carried away a few dollars in change, which Mr. Bozman had left in a bureau drawer, and a pair of pants and a silk hat.

Almost a Fire.

Last night, soon after dark, the roof of the ell of Mr. J. H. Butler's residence, on Baker street, was discovered to be on fire. The fire originated from a defective flue, but by prompt work it was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Still Out of the Ring.

Despite the energy and exertion displayed by Sheriff Perkerson and the chief of police, Mr. Gillett has not yet been captured. Those who are best posted in the matter assert that Gillett has never left town.

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EVERY DAY in the Year.

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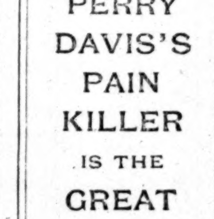
DRUGGISTS KEEP IT EVERYWHERE.

M. J. WHITFIELD VS. W. P. WHITFIELD—Libel for divorce in Fulton Superior Court, Spring Term, 1883.—It appearing to the Court by the return of the sheriff, in the above stated case, that the defendant does not reside in said county, and it further appearing that he does not reside in this state: It is ordered by the court that service be perfected by the publication of this order once a month for four months, before next term of this court, in Atlanta Constitution, a newspaper published in Fulton county, Georgia.

W. R. HAMMOND, J. S. C. A. C.

A true extract from minutes of Fulton Superior Court, April 12, 1883. C. H. STRONG, Clerk.



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Y. M. L. A.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE YOUNG MEN'S
Library Association.

—Will be held at the Library—

TUESDAY. MAY 8TH, 1883.

at 8 o'clock, p. m., at which time the reports of the officers for the past year will be made, and nominations for officers and directors for the ensuing year be presented. By order of the Board of Directors.

ALEX. C. KING,
Secretary.

apr 17, 24, may1, 6, 8

ELECTION---Y. M. L. A.

The Annual Election for

OFFICERS AND FOUR DIRECTORS

of the Young Men's Library Associations for the ensuing year will be held at the Library

TUESDAY, MAY, 15, 1883

From 2 to 8 o'clock, p. m.

The following named gentlemon have been appointed inspectors of the election, viz: John M. Harwell, A. A. Meyer, H. C. Peeples, E. M. Hammond, J. R. Nutting, W. W. Black, H. L. Culberson, C. A. Read, A. M. Greene, L. S. Morris, Burton Smith, Aaron Guthman, J. G. Zachery, Thos. C. Erwin, Saml. Prioleau, H. P. Scales, Geo. E. Hoppie, Hugh McKee, Jos. T. Holleman. By order of the Board of Directors.

ALEX. C. KING,
Secretary.

apr17, 24, may1, 8, 13, 15.

TO THE VOTERS
OF
ATLANTA!

An election will be held on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1883, at the usual voting places for municipal elections in each ward of the city of Atlanta.

All persons duly registered for the last regular municipal election will be authorized to vote at this election. The purpose of this election is to decide whether or not an ordinance prohibiting cattle from running at large on the streets of this city shall be of force after 1st day of June next. All persons favoring such ordinance will indorse on their ballots "Cow Law," and those opposing the same "No Cow Law."

By direction of Mayor and General Council.

J. H. GOLDSMITH, City Clerk.

GEORGIA PACIFIC RAILWAY CO
LOCAL TIME TABLE,
IN EFFECT APRIL 15, 1883.

No. 1—Westw'd. DAILY.	ATLANTA TIME.			No. 2—Eastw'd. DAILY.
7.25 a m	Leave	Atlanta	Arrive	7.45 p m
7.47 a m	Arrive	Six Mile Siding	"	7.18 p m
7.50 a m	"	Chattahoochee	"	7.14 p m
8.11 a m	"	Mableton	"	6.52 p m
8.20 a m	"	Austell	"	6.43 p m
8.30 a m	"	Salt Springs	"	6.34 p m
8.45 a m	"	Douglasville	"	6.18 p m
9.04 a m	"	Winston	"	6.04 p m
9.20 a m	"	Villa Rica	"	5.45 p m
9.40 a m	"	Temple	"	5.26 p m
10.05 a m	"	Bremen	"	5.00 p m
10.33 a m	"	Tallapoosa	Leave	4.31 p m
	Leave	Tallapoosa	Arrive	
10.55 a m	Arrive	Muscadine	"	4.12 p m
11.09 a m	"	Edwardsville	"	3.50 p m
11.44 a m	"	Heflin	"	3.28 p m
12.04 p m	"	Davisville	"	3.09 p m
12.15 p m	"	Choccolocco	"	3.00 p m
12.29 p m	"	DeArmanville	"	2.46 p m
12.44 p m	"	Oxford	"	2.33 p m
12.55 p m	"	S., R. & D. Crossing	"	2.17 p m
1.05 p m	Arrive	Anniston	Leave	2.15 p m
	Read down.		Read up.	

No. 3—Westward. DAILY. EXCEPT SUNDAY.	ATLANTA TIME.			No. 4.—Eastward DAILY. EXCEPT SUNDAY.
3.30 p m	Leave	Atlanta	Arrive	10.30 a m
4.00 p m	Arrive	Six Mile Siding	"	10.06 a m
4.05 p m	"	Chattahoochee	"	10.00 a m
4.55 p m	"	Mableton	"	9.18 a m
5.15 p m	"	Austell	"	9.00 a m
5.32 p m	"	Salt Springs	"	8.40 a m
6.07 p m	"	Douglasville	"	7.57 a m
6.40 p m	"	Winston	"	7.30 a m
7.08 p m	"	Villa Rica	"	7.00 a m
7.48 p m	"	Temple	"	6.24 a m
8.30 p m	"	Bremen	"	5.42 a m
9.15 p m	"	Tallapoosa	Leave	5.00 a m
No. 5.				No. 6.
a m	Leave	Tallapoosa	Arrive	7.20 p m
6.00 a m	Arrive	Muscadine	"	6.48 p m
6.30 a m	"	Edwardsville	"	6.10 p m
7.10 a m	"	Heflin	"	5.30 p m
7.48 a m	"	Davisville	"	4.59 p m
8.22 a m	"	Choccolocco	"	4.41 p m
8.42 a m	"	DeArmanville	"	4.18 p m
9.02 a m	"	Oxford	"	3.58 p m
9.25 a m	"	S., R. & D. Crossing	"	3.43 p m
9.38 a m	Arrive	Anniston	Leave	3.40 p m
9.45	Read down.		Read up.	

Nos. 1 and 2 will arrive and depart from Exposition platform; Nos. 3 and 4 will arrive and depart from Georgia Pacific railway depot, Simpson street.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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—TO—
TALLULAH FALLS.
Wednesday, April 25, 1883.

THE LADIES OF ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH, South, respectfully announce that their annual excursion and day recreation takes place on Wednesday, April 25, to Tallulah Falls. Tickets of Committee and Phillips & Crew's book and music store.

ROUND TRIP ONLY $2.00

Ample accommodation for all. Everybody invited to join them. Train leaves Union Passenger Depot at 7 a.m.; arrive Tallulah 11 a m. Returning, leave Tallulah 6 p.m., arrive Atlanta 11 night. Train runs to Falls. No hacks to hire. Seven hours at Tallulah Falls. Refreshments on board train. Hotel at Tallulah Falls.

CONCORDIA HALL.

DANCING ACADEMY!

Professor Hanlein, is forming his class for the lawn-tennis, and other new dances. Those wishing to register their names as members, will find him at the academy any time between 10 a.m.. and 3 p.m.

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FOR RENT.

HAVE JUST COMPLETED A NEW HOTEL situated in the center of the business portion of the city of Danville, Virginia, built in the most improved style of architecture, with mansard roof, has 65 bedrooms, parlors and large dining rooms, office on first floor, supplied with gas, water and electric bells on each floor. Terms moderate. Party renting will have to furnish the same. For further particulars call on or address

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Danville, Va.

AUCTION SALES—REAL ESTATE.

T. A. FRIERSON, Auctioneer.—CENTral and valuable Homes and investments at auction—I will sell on the premises next Tuesday, April 17, at half-past 3 o'clock, the following well located, desirable and valuable property: 1st. The new and neat six room cottage, No. 269 Marietta st., on a fine lot 57x149½ feet, on the east side of the street, with alley on the north side of the lot, as shown on plat. Also vacant lot 50x54 feet, fronting the alley and in rear of the above lot, as per plat. This is the first property south of the public school lot, and separated from it by the alley, as shown on plat. It is a desirable home. The house contains six rooms, hall, closets, pantry, front and rear verandahs, modern doors and windows, blinds and rolling sash, is well built, neatly finished inside and out, conveniently constructed, modern and attractive in style, comparatively new and in good condition. The location is pleasant and convenient, being on horse car line and near the school, churches, stores, railroads, depots, shops, and the manufacturing portion of the city. The lot is elevated, and lays beautifully, having just enough slope to drain gently. The neighborhood is good and improving steadily. On the lot is a deep, rock bottom well of the purest and coolest free stone water. As an investment this property is particularly inviting, because it will always rent to good tenants at $25 per month, and being new and in good condition, will require no repairs for a long time. In addition to the rents, the purchaser will realize a speedy and heavy advance in the value of the property as soon as the fine paving and macadamizing now being put down is completed. That will make Marietta street very pretty and attractive, and will cause proprety to increase greatly in value. Parties interested in securing a good home or a profitable investment are requested to examine the property carefully and attend the sale. Titles perfect. Sale absolute. Terms one third cash, balance 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent. James street property. Immediately after the sale on Marietta street, I will sell the three houses and lots on James street, as shown by above plat. On lot No. 4 is a two story, 8 room dwelling, new, substantial and in fair condition. On lots 3 and 5 are new, neat and substantial 3 room cottages. The vacant lots, 1, 2, 6 and 7 show and speak for themselves. This property is exceedingly valuable on account of its very central and convenient location. It is only 5 blocks north of the postoffice, and less than 4 blocks northwest of the First Methodist church. Property so central and convenient will always command good, prompt paying tenants, will always rent for good prices, will always pay a good interest on cost, will always sell readily for good prices when put on market, is sure to increase in value year by year as the city grows, is always safe as an investment, and will prove profitable as a speculation. It is as standard and safe as government securities, and will pay a much larger interest, while increasing steadily in value. You can't make a mistake in buying property in Atlanta so centrally located. Neat cottages built on the vacant lots would be readily taken at remunerative prices, and would prove a very satisfactory and profitable investment. The demand for central houses is always good and they are always scarce. Titles perfect. Sale absolute. Terms, ⅓ cash, balance 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent. Don't fail to examine all this property carefully before the day of sale and note its advantages. Remember the time, and take the 3:30 Marietta street car. Free ride for all. T. A. Frierson, real estate agent, No. 10 Wall street.

WANTED—Boarders.

FOUR YOUNG MEN CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with nice room and board, 18 Wheat street; day board, $16.00

MISCELLANEOUS

STAMPING FOR FANCY WORK—MISS E. L. Smith, formerly of the "Decorative Art School," New York, now with Chamberlin, Boynton & Co., will give lessons in Embroidery and Macrame Work. Work commenced to order a specialty. 6

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CALL AND EXAMINE OUR LIST OF DWELLings, rooms, stores, etc., to rent. Some desirable store property on best business streets. Call at No. 12 West Alabama street.

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A SITUATION AS SUPERINTENDENT OF A cotton mill, by a practical man of twenty years experience on coarse and fine goods. Can give good reference as to character and ability. Address Box, Constitution office, Atlanta, Ga.

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A 8 ROOM BRICK HOUSE ON GILMER street, No. 26—good water. Apply at 66 Collins street. Mrs. Lynch.

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ONE FURNISHED ROOM, EITHER FRONT OR back, well located and very convenient to a good boarding house. Apply on premises, 76 East Hunter street. tf

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FOR SALE—Horses, Carriages, Wagons

100 1-HORSE WAGONS, CHEAPEST AND best patent wheels wholesale and retail. Atlanta Wagon & Timber Co., Ga. R. R. & Butler st. tf

FOR SALE—Machinery.

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LADIES TO LEARN HOW TO CUT DRESSES, cloaks, children's clothes and gent's shirts by actual measure. Dress Maker's Magic Scale, 69½ Whitehall street, Atlanta. Agents wanted.

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ATLANTA, April 16, 1883.

STATE AND CITY BONDS.

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Ga. 8s	104	109	Atlanta 7s	108	111
Ga. 6s	106	108	Atlanta 6s	102	105
Ga. 7s, 1886	106	108	Augusta 7s	108	111
Ga. 7s, gold	113	115	Augusta 6s	101	103
Ga. 7s, 1896	118	120	Macon 6s	100	102
S. C. (Brown)	102	104	Rome, new	98	100
Savannah 5s	80	82	Columbus 5s	82	85
Atlanta 8s	114	116			

RAILROAD BONDS

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked
Ga. R. 7s	103	115	At. & Char. inc. 6s	60	63
Ga. R. 6s	107	108	Atlantic & G. con	108	110
W. & A. 10s	95	100	E. T., V. & G inc. 6s	40	42
Cent. R. 7s	111	112			
C. C. & A. 1st	106	108			
At. & Char. 1st	102	104			

RAILROAD STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked
Georgia	146	148	Central	97	99
At. & Char.	58	60	Aug. & Sav.	115	117
Southwestern	116	118	At. & W. P.	107	110
South Car.	20	25	C. C. & A.	28	30

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Speculation on the stock exchange to-day has been very active but weak. The market opened irregular, with Northwest preferred 1 per cent and the general list slightly below Saturday's closing figures. After a small improvement in some shares in the early dealings, an advance of 1⅛ per cent in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, the market became weak, and at 11 o'clock a decline of 1⅜ per cent took place in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, and ⅛ to 1 in the remainder of the list, Northwest, New Jersey Central and Lake Shore being prominent therein. This was succeeded by a fractional rally, after which the market again became weak, and shortly after midday sold down ¼ to 1¾ per cent, led by Northwest, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, and Lake Shore. Northwest subsequently recovered 1 per cent, and the general list a fraction, but from then to the close there was a decline ranging from ½ to 2 per cent, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, New Jersey Central, Union Pacific and the Vanderbilts being the greatest sufferers in the downward movement. The market closed weak at the lowest figures of the day and ¼ to 3⅝ per cent lower than Saturday's close, the latter for Chicago, Burlington and Quincy. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western was a special feature in to-day's market, both for weakness and activity, over 130,000 shares selling. Transactions aggregated 502,000 shares.

Evening—Exchange 4.82½. Governments generally higher; new 5s 102⅞ bid; 4½s 113⅜; 4s 119¾; 3s 103½. Money 8@2. State bonds neglected. Sub-treasury balances: Coin 120,685.000; currency 7,154,-000.

Ala. Class A 2 to 5	82¾	Manhattan Ele.	41
do. Class A small	†83	Memphis & Char'n.	41
Ala. Class B 5s	101	Metropolitan Ele.	80
do. Class C 4s	†83	Michigan Central	94⅛
Georgia 6s	†102	Mobile & Ohio	13¾
Georgia 7s mort'ge	106¼	N C & St L	57
Georgia do gold	†114	New Jersey Central	70⅝
Louisiana consols	64¾	N. O. Pac 1st mort.	88⅛
North Carolina old	†31	N Y Central	126⅜
North Carolina new	†16	N Y Elevated	104
do. funding	11	Norfolk & W'n pre.	43
do. special tax	†6¼	Northern Pac. com.	50⅞
S C con brown	103	do. preferred	87½
Tennessee 6s	42	Ohio & Miss.	34¾
Tennessee new	41½	do preferred	108
Virginia 6s	†36	Pacific Mail	42¼
Virginia consols	†38½	Pittsb'g F W & C.	138
Virginia deferred	10½	Quicksilver	8¼
Adams Express	128	do preferred	42¼
American Mer Ex	90	Reading	56¼
Chesap'ke & Ohio	21¼	Rich & Alleghany	14
Chicago & Alton	134	Richmond & Dan	62¾
Chicago & N W	136¾	Rich & W Pt Term.	34⅛
do preferred	152	Rock Island	125
C St L & N O	†79	St L & San Fran	33½
Consolidated Coal	†26	do preferred	52¾
Del., Lack & West	127¾	do first preferred	96
Den. & Rio Grande	48¾	St Paul	102½
Erie	37⅝	do preferred	119
East Tenn railroad	10¾	Texas Pacific	41⅛
Fort Wayne	135½	Union Pacific	97⅜
Hannibal & St Joe	†45	United States Ex.	60½
Harlem	191	Wab St L & Pacific	31¼
Houston & Texas	72½	do preferred	51
Illinois Central	146	Wells & Fargo	124
Lake Shore	111⅜	Western Union	82⅞
L & N	56½		

†Bid. ‡Ex-dividend *Offered ‡Asked

LONDON, April 16—4:00 p. m—Consols—Money 102 7-16; account 102 9-16.

PARIS, April 16—4:00 p. m.—Rentes 79f. 2½c.

THE COTTON MARKET

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, April 16 1883

New York—Futures opened a fraction lower this morning and the downward tendency continued up to noon when the lowest prices were obtained under an easy tone. In the afternoon a moderate reaction occurred, which partially restored losses. The close found the months steady with prices a shade under opening figures. Spots hold steady with middling 10¼c.

Net receipts for two days 22,896 bales against 9,379 bales last year: exports 20,906 bales; last year 31,645 bales; stock 774,991 bales; last year 708,504 bales.

Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures to-day:

OPENED		CLOSED	
April	10.15@10.20	April	10.13@10.15
May	10.23@10.24	May	10.21@10.22
June	10.39@10.40	June	10.37@10.38
July	10.53@10.55	July	10.50@10.51
August	10.64@10.65	August	10.61@10.62
September	10.41@10.42	September	10.37@10.39
October	10.11@10.12	October	10.06@10.08
November	10.00@10.01	November	9.96@9.97
December	10.03@10.04	December	9.99@10.00
January	10.13@10.15	January	10.08@10.10

Closed steady sales 151,000 bales.

Liverpool—Futures closed steady. Spots—Uplands 5 11-16d; Orleans 5¾d; sales 12,000 bales of which 8,300 bales were American; receipts 2,300; American 2,300.

The local cotton market assumed a firmness to-day which was maintained up to the close. This has enabled sellers to advance quotations. The demand was active and sales were lively—several hundred bales having changed hands. The close was firm for spots at the following prices: Good middling 10c; middling 9⅝c; strict low middling 9⅜c; low middling 9¼c; strict good ordinary 9c; good ordinary 8½c; ordinary 7½c; tinges 9c; stains 6@8½c.

The following is our statement of receipts and shipments for to-day:

RECEIPTS.

By wagon	20
Air-Line Railroad	—
Georgia Railroad	21
Central Railroad	4
Western and Atlantic Railroad	1
West Point Railroad	21
E. Tenn., Va. & Ga.	34
Georgia Pacific	—
Total	101
Receipts previously	137,578
Total	137,679
Stock September 1	940
Grand total	138 619

SHIPMENTS.

Shipments for to-day	201
Shipments previously	117,323
Local consumption previously	4,783
Total	122,308
Stock on hand	16,312

The following is our comparative statement:

Receipts to day	101
Same day last year	57
Showing an increase of	44
Receipts since September 1	137,679
Same time last year	121,911
Showing an increase of	15.768

NEW YORK, April 16—The Post's cotton market report says: "The leading months in future deliveries opened 3@4-100 lower, and, offerings continuing large, a further decline of 8@6-100 had been conceeded. Sales appear to consist chiefly of long cotton. Before and at the third call there was a reaction of 3-100. At the third call 10.19 was reported for May; June brought 10.35, July 10.48 August 10.59, September 10.37, October 10.06, November 9.96. Total sales, including all three calls at 2:15 p.m., are about 127,000 bales."

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—noon—Cotton steady; middling uplands 5⅝; middling Orleans 5 11-16; sales 12,000 bales; speculation and export 2,000; receipts 2,300; all American: uplands low middling clause April and May delivery 5 44-64, 5 43-64, 5 42-64, 5 41-64; May and June delivery 5 47-64, 5 46-64, 5 45-64; June and July delivery 5 50-64, 5 49-64, 5 48-64; July and August delivery 5 53-64, 5 52-64, 5 51-64; August and September delivery 5 56-64, 5 54-64 September and October delivery 5 53-64, 5 52-64, 5 51-64; October and November 5 47-64, 5 46-64; November and December delivery 5 45-64, 5 44-64; futures opened flat.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—1:30 p.m.—Sales of American 8,300; middling uplands 5 11-16; middling Orleans 5¾.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—2:30 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause May and June delivery 5 44-64, November and December delivery 5 43-64.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—3:30 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause July and August delivery 5 50-64: August and September delivery 5 55-64.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—5:00 p.m.—Uplands low middling clause June and July delivery 5 47-64; futures closed quiet.

NEW YORK, April 16—Cotton easier; middling uplands 10¼; middling Orleans 10½; sales 217 bales; net receipts 193; gross 1,607; consolidated net receipts 13,830; exports to Great Britain 8,606; to continent 1,105.

GALVESTON, April 16—Cotton firm: middling 9⅞; low middling 9¼; good ordinary 8½; net receipts 2,078 bales; gross 2,116; sales 1,862; stock 66,811.

NORFOLK, April 16—Cotton steady; middling 9⅞; net receipts 2,048 bales; gross 2,048; stock 60,989; sales 678; exports coastwise 1,532.

BALTIMORE, April 15—Cotton steady; middling 10; low middling 9½; good ordinary 8¼; net receipts 583 bales; gross 2,072: sales 800 stock 22,867; sales to spinners 500; exports coastwise 225.

BOSTON, April 16—Cotton steady, middling 10⅜; low middling 9⅞; good ordinary 8¾; net receipts 816 bales; gross 2,847; sales none; stock 7,035.

WILMINGTON, April 16—Cotton quiet; middling 9¾; low middling 9½; good ordinary 8⅛; net receipts 155 bales; gross 155: sales none: stock 8,736.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16—Cotton dull; middling 10⅜; low middling 10; good ordinary 9; net receipts 1,142 bales; gross 1,249; stock 13,084.

SAVANNAH, April 16—Cotton firm middling 9⅝; low middling 6 3-16 good ordinary 8½; net receipts 1,513 bales: gross 1,526; sales 850; stock 30,920; exports to continent 1,131.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16—Cotton quiet; middling 9¾; low middling 9⅛; good ordinary 8 9-16; net receipts 4,794 bales gross 4,426; sales 4,500; stock 253,342: exports to Great Britain 7,170; coastwise 2,255.

MOBILE, April 16—Cotton quiet but firm; middling 9⅝; good middling 9¼; good ordinary 8⅜; net receipts 969 bales; gross 969; sales 500; stock 27,158; exports coastwise 533.

MEMPHIS. April 16—Cotton strong with offerings light: middling 9¼; good middling 9⅛; good ordinary 8¼; net receipts 924 bales; gross 1,214; shipments 3,570; sales 2,000; stock 55,763; sales to spinners —.

AUGUSTA, April 16—Cotton firm; middling 9½ low middling 9, good ordinary 8¼. net receipts 96 bales; shipments none: sales 354.

CHARLESTON, April 16—Cotton firm; middling 10⅛ low middling 9¾, good ordinary 9 net receipts 539 bales: gross 539 sales 300; stock 31,252; exports coastwise 434.

ST. LOUIS, April 13—Cotton steady; middling 9⅝; low middling 9; good ordinary 8⅛; net receipts 694 bales: gross 1,034; shipments 1,872; sales 973; stock 64,599.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, April 16, 1883.

The following quotations indicate the fluctuations on the Chicago board of trade to-day:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
April	1 04½	1 05¼	1 04½	1 05¼
May	1 06	1 07¼	1 06	1 07¼
June	1 08½	1 09⅜	1 08½	1 09⅜
PORK				
May	18 15	18 20	18 15	18 20
June	18 30	18 37½	18 30	18 37½
CLEAR RIB SIDES.				
May	9 92½	9 95	9 92½	9 95

Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA April 16—Flour—The market is amply stocked; prices are bearing down; we quote patent process $7.25@$7.75: fancy $6.25@$6.75; extra family $6.00@$6.25. Wheat Chicago — The market has taken on considerable strength, and prices have rapidly approached higher prices. The close was: April $1.05¼, May $1.07¼, June $1.09⅜. The local spot market is steady with No. 2 Tennessee $1.25; No. 2 western $1.28. Corn—62½ 63c in car lots and 65c in less quantities. Meal 62½@63c. Oats—Tennessee 55c. Wheat Bran—$1.05. Grits—$4.50@$5.00 ₩ barrel.

BALTIMORE, April 16—Flour steady; Howard street and western superfine $3.25@$3 75; extra $4.25 @$4.75; family $5.00@$5.75; city mills superfine $3.25 @$3.75; extra $4.25@$6.25 Rio brands $5.75@$6.00. Wheat, southern scarce and nominal; western inactive but higher; southern red $1.17@$1.20; amber $1.20@$1.23; No. 1 Maryland $1.20 bid; No. 2 western winter red spot $1.19¼@$1.19¾. Corn, southern higher; western dull but firm; southern white 60@65; yellow 65@70. Oats strong: southern 52@56: western white 54@56: mixed 5 @53; Pennsylvania 52@56.

NEW YORK, April 16—Flour, southern firm; common to fair extra $4 00@$4 90; good to choice $5.00 @$6.75. Wheat, cash lots ½@1c higher, closing firm a trifle under outside rates; No. 2 spring nominal: No. 2 red April $1.17@$1.18¼. Corn, cash lots ¾@1⅜c higher, closing very firm. ungraded 54½@56; white southern 68@70; No. 2 spot 63¾; April 65¼@65⅞ Oats ¼@1c higher; No. 2 51¾@52. Hops steadily held; New York 87@95.

CHICAGO, April 16—Flour unchanged; spring wheat $3.50@$5.00; Minnesota $3 50@$4.25; bakers $4 25@ 5.75; patents $6.00@$7.50; winter wheat $4.00 @$5.00. Wheat in active demand and higher; regular $1.05 April Corn moderately active and higher; No. 2 53@53⅛ cash: 53⅛ April. Oats moderately active and higher; 42@42⅛ cash; 42@42½ April.

LOUISVILLE, April 16—Flour dull; extra family $3.75@4.00; A No. 1 $4.50@$4.75; high grades $6 25 @$6.50; good to fancy $6.00@$6.25. Wheat strong; No. 2 red winter $1.07. Corn steady; No. 2 white 54; No. 2 mixed 53½. Oats steady and firm; No. 2 47; mixed 45.

ST. LOUIS, April 16—Flour dull: family $4.50@$4.60. Wheat unsettled and higher; No. 2 red fall $1.09@$1.09¼ cash: No. 3 red fall $1.04. Corn unsettled but higher; 47¼@48⅛ cash. Oats dull; 41⅞@42½ cash.

CINCINNATI, April 16—Flour firm; family $4.60@$5.00; fancy $5.25@$5.75. Wheat firm; No. 2 red winter $1.09 spot. Corn in fair demand and firm at 55½ spot. Oats in fair demand and firm at 47@47½ spot.

Groceries.

ATLANTA, April 16 Trade is very good. Coffee is firm and of steady upward tendency. Coffee—Rio 9@12½c; old government Java 22@28. Sugar—Steady, though barely so firm as previously; we quote standard A 9¼; granulated 9¾; cut loaf 9⅞ powdered 9⅞ white extra C 9, yellow Cs 8@8¾ other goods remain steady; New Orleans sugars, browns 8; clarified 8½ @8¾; whites 9@9½. Molasses—Black strap, 27½ in barrels. Syrup—Choice 60; strictly prime 55@58; prime 50@52; commons 40@45 Teas—Black 40@60; green 40@60; nutmegs $1.15; cloves 55; allspice 18: cinnamon 25; saigon 50; African ginger 10 mace $1.25; pepper 18. Crackers—milk 8½c; Boston butter 8c; pearl oyster 8c; X soda 6c; XX do. 6¼c; XXX do. 6½; XX cream 9c; lemon 9½c; ginger cakes 9 snaps 8½c. Candy—Assorted stick 12c. Mackerel—Stocks moderate; No. 3 bbls $10.00; ½ bbls $4.75: kits 75; No. 2 ½ bbls $6.00; kits 85; No. 1 ½ bbls $7.00; kits $1.00 Soap—$2.50@$7.00 ₩ 100 cakes Candles—Full weight 15½. Matches—$3.25. Soda, in kegs, 4@4½c; in boxes 5½ Rice—6½@7c.

NEW YORK, April 16—Coffee less active and rather easier; No. 7 Rio April 8.00@8.05; spot 8¼. Sugar dull and rather weak; Centrifugal 7½@7⅝. Carthagena 6 15-16: fair to good refining 6⅞@6 15-16 refined quiet; yellow C 7⅜, extra C 7½@7⅝; white extra C 7¾; yellow do. 7½@7¼ yellow 7; off A 7⅞@8 confectioners A 8⅜; standard A 8¼: cut loaf 9¼; crushed 9⅛; powdered 8⅞@9 mould A 8⅝; granulated 8 11-16@8¾ Cubes 9 Molasses steady; 50-test 31½; New Orleans 30@60; Porto Rico 40@60. Rice steady: Rangoon 5; domestic 5@7.

BALTIMORE, April 16—Coffee firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair 8¾@10. Sugar firmer; A soft 8⅝.

CINCINNATI, April 16—Sugar unchanged; hard refined 9¼@9½: New Orleans 6½@7½.

Provisions.

ATLANTA, April 16—The market is firm and higher prices seem probable. Stocks have been reduced, and the general condition of the market presents a healthy feeling; we quote as follows: cured clear rib sides 10¼c cash: do, 30 days time 11c; clear sides 10½c cash; 30 days time 11c; shoulders 7½c cash; 30 days time 8¼c. Bacon—Sugar-cured canvassed hams 13½c cash; 30 days time 14c. Lard—Choice refined, tierces, 12¼c cash; 30 days 12½c; leaf lard 13½c cash; cans, 50 lbs, ¼c above tierce prices; tubs, 50 lbs, ⅜c above; tin pails, 10 lbs, ½c above; tin pails, 5 lbs, ⅝c above; tin pails, 3 lbs, ¾c above.

NEW YORK. April 16—Pork held firm with demand very moderate; new mess spot $19.15@$19.57½; options neglected. Middles dull and nominal; long clear 10⅝. Lard opened 8@11 points higher and fairly active, closing firm; prime steam spot 11.50; April 11.54.

ST. LOUIS, April 16—Pork firmer; jobbing $18.25@$1.50. Bulk meats very slow but firmly held; long clear 9.95; short rib 10; short clear 10¼ asked Bacon dull: long clear 10.20@10.25: short rib 10.55@10.65; short clear 10.85@10.90. Lard nominal.

LOUISVILLE, April 16—Provisions quiet: new mess pork $18.75. Bulk meats, shoulders 7½; clear rib 10: clear sides 10⅜. Bacon, shoulders 8½: clear ribs 10⅝; clear sides 11; hams, sugar-cured 12¼. Lard steady; choice kettle rendered 12¼.

CHICAGO, April 16—Pork fairly active and a shade higher; $18.00@$18.05 cash and April. Lard active and a shade higher: 11.32½@11.35 cash and April. Bulk meats in fair demand; shoulders 7¾; short ribs 10.10; short clear 10.45.

BALTIMORE, April 16—Provisions steady. Mess pork $20.00. Bulk meats, shoulders clear rib sides packed 12. Bacon, shoulders 9¾; clear rib sides 12; hams 14@15. Lard, refined 12¼.

CINCINNATI, April 16—Pork quiet at $18.50. Lard in good demand at 11. Bulk meats firm; shoulders 7⅝; clear rib 10. Bacon unchanged; clear sides 11.

Wines, Liquor, Etc.

ATLANTA, April 1 Market steady. Corn whisky, rectified, $1.00@$1.40; rye, rectified, $1.10@$1.50; rye and Bourbon medium $1.50@$2.00; rum rectified $1 25@$1.75; New England $1.75@$2.50; St. Croix $4.00; Jaimaca $3.50@$4.50; gin, domestic $1.50@$2.50; imported $3.00@$4.50; Cognac brandy, domestic $1.50@$2.50; imported $5.00@$8.00; copper distilled corn whisky, Georgia made, $1.75; apple and peach brandy $2.00@$3.00;; cherry and ginger brandy $1.00@$1.50; port wine $1.50@$6.00, owing to quality: sherry $1.50@$6.00; catawba $1.25@$1.75; scuppernong $1.00@$1.25.

BALTIMORE, April 16—Whisky quiet and steady at $1.16½@$1.17.

CINCINNATI, April 16—Whisky steady at $1.13.

ST. LOUIS, April 16—Whisky steady at $1.14.

LOUISVILLE, April 16—Whisky unchanged.

CHICAGO, April 16—Whisky steady at $1.16.

Naval Stores.

WILMINGTON, April 16—Spirits turpentine firm at 43 bid; rosin steady at $1.27½ for strained; $1.32½ for good strained; tar steady at $1.60: crude turpentine steady at $1.60 for hard; $2.75 for yellow dip.

SAVANNAH, April 16—Rosin opened and closed firm: sales 871 barrels turpentine opened and closed firm; regulars 43; sales 148 barrels.

CHARLESTON, April 16—Spirits turpentine dull with no sales and quotations nominal; rosin steady; strained to good $1.30@$1.35.

NEW YORK, April 16—Rosin dull and weak at $1.67½@$1.75; turpentine steady at 48@48½.

Tobacco.

ATLANTA, April 16—The market is extremely quiet. We quote as follows: unreliable goods 32@34: low grades 35@38; medium 40@50; extra medium 52@58; fine 11 and 12-inch 58@65; extra fine and fancy 75@80: Stultz AAAA $1.00: natural leaf 90: Calhoun $1.15; Cook's extra fig 90; Cook's extra leatherwood 90; Lucy Hinton 58; Lucy Lawson 52: shellroad 55; fine-cut pails 65@85. Smoking Tobacco—Blackwell's Durham, assorted, 55; other brands 35@40. Snuff—Lorillard's in jars 62; 2-oz. packages $11.70 ₩ gross: 1 oz. $6; ½ oz $5; Railroad Mills in jars 55; Mrs. Miller's 55.

Live Stock

ATLANTA, April 16—The supply of both mules and horses. Market holds steady at the following prices: Horses—Plug in fair demand at $80@$175, owing to quality; combination dull at $150@$175; saddle $125@$150, Mules—14-hands $90@$100; 14½-hands $110@$115; 15-hands $120@$125.

CINCINNATI, April 16—Hogs quiet; common and light $6 20@$7.55; packing and butchers $7.00.

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And I do further order that the General Assembly of Georgia convene in extra session on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1883, at the Capitol in Atlanta, to declare the result of said election, or elect a Governor in case no person shall receive a majority of votes cast.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in Atlanta, this, the Fifth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and seventh.

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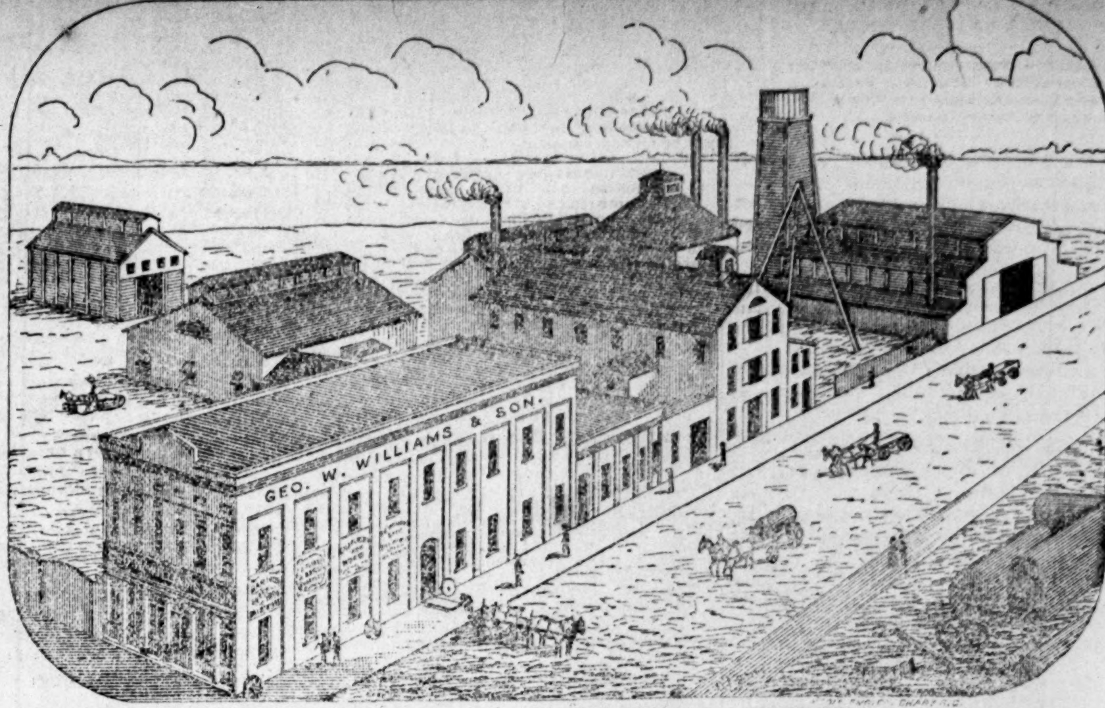
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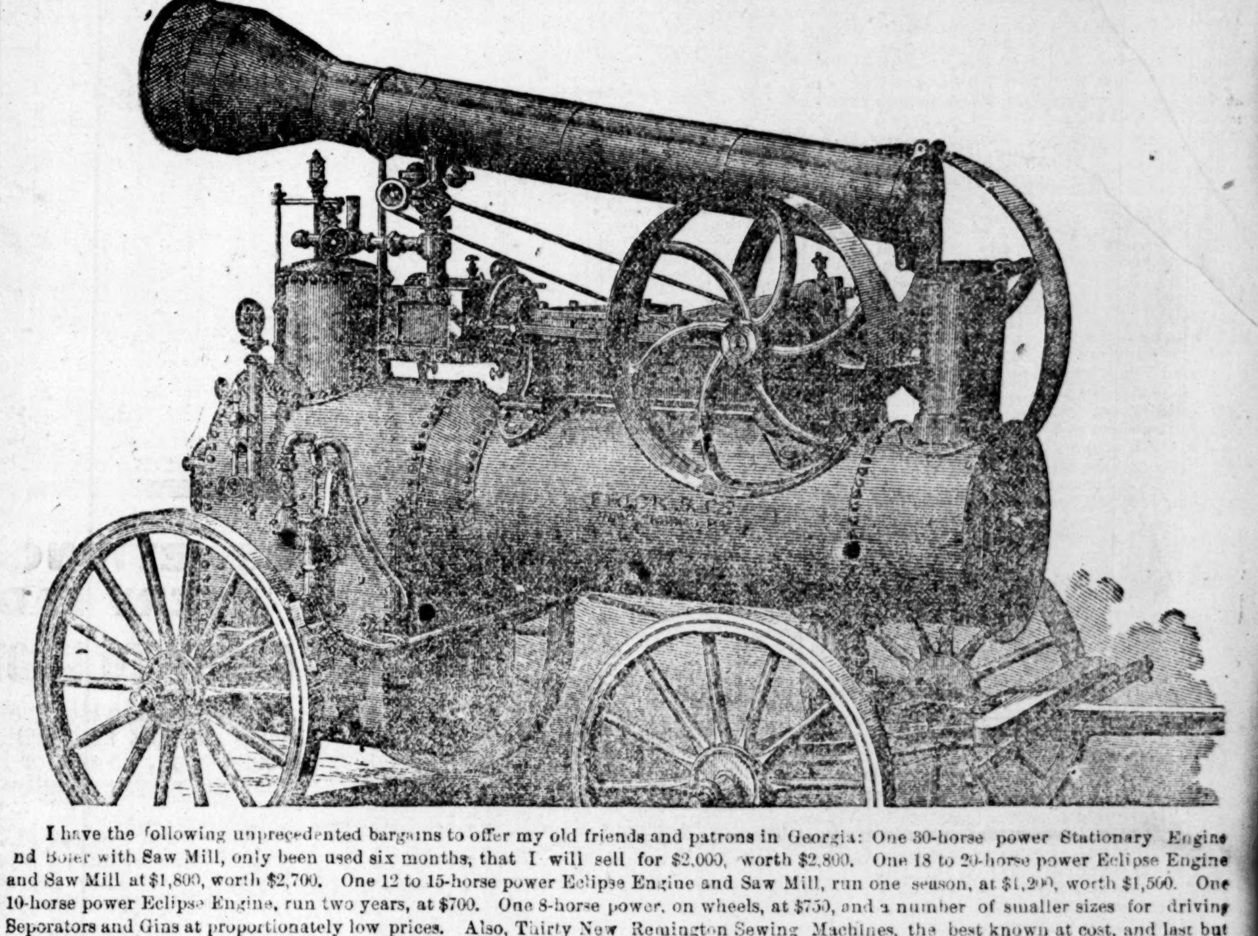

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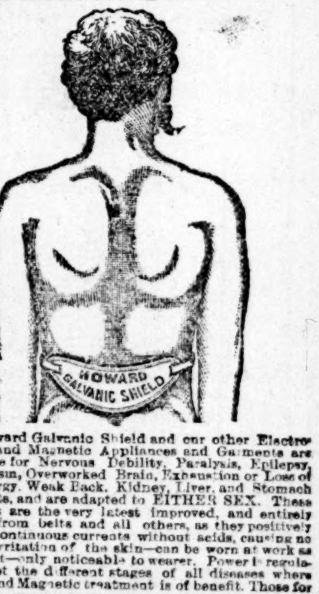

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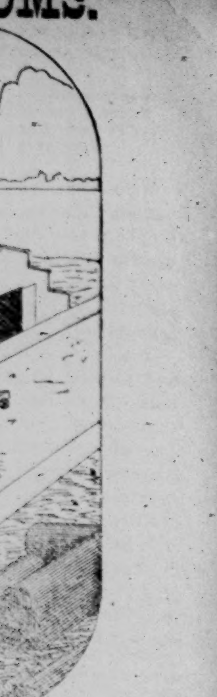

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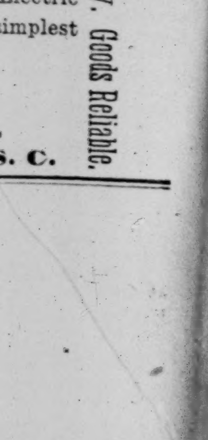

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STEPHENS' SCHOOL DAYS.

PROFESSOR LE CONTE'S MEMORIES OF SOME EARLY SCENES.

Young Stephens as a Teacher in Liberty County—The Pupils Awaiting His Coming—His Manner of Winning Their Confidence—Encouraging a Spirit of Honor Among Them.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 3.—Editors Constitution: The recency of the death of Mr. Stephens and the love and reverence in which he was held by the people of Georgia, makes every incident of his life, especially of his early life, interesting. No apology, therefore, is necessary for the following:

In college Mr. Stephens was a classmate and intimate friend of my eldest brother, William. Soon after his graduation, in 1832, I think in 1833, and mainly through the influence of my brother he was called to take charge of a small private school in Liberty county, supported by only three families, of which my father's family was one. There were four of us, three brothers and one sister, in the school, besides the children of the other two families, making about ten or twelve in all. I well remember the impression our small teacher made upon us. The big boys at once measured his strength and were satisfied. The little boys and the girls liked his bright eyes and his ready smile. All agreed that we would have a good time. And so we did, but not in the way we had imagined. Mr. Stephens rarely used the rod, and yet never was a teacher more respected or school order more perfect.

One habit of his greatly endeared him to his scholars. Partly for health and recreation and partly to cultivate friendly and even affectionate relations with the scholars, he joined freely in all their sports and enjoyed them as thoroughly as the veriest boy of us all. I vividly recall even now his appearance on the base ball ground, as with coat off, shirt sleeves rolled up, and poor, spindling arms exposed, he stood with bat in hand ready to receive the ball, his tall, emaciated form, his pale sallow face, but eyes all aglow with pleasurable excitement. When he made a good hit, which was but seldom, how his thin sides would shake with laughter while he strove with long quick strides, (but never running) to reach another base. I verily believe these were among the happiest days of his life.

Another trait, I remember with pride and pleasure. He always held that in some cases a boy must fight and ought to fight. In every case of fighting among the boys, instead of calling up and flogging all around, he carefully investigated all the circumstances, and decided justly, even from the boy point of view. On the other hand, any meanness or shadow of prevarication, or semblance of duplicity, he treated not only with severity, but with a scorn which was far more effective than any mere physical severity. We soon felt that he was one of ourselves, only better and nobler than the rest of us. He was, therefore, our teacher, our friend, our big brother. Once get this hold on young hearts and there is no limit to the influence for good which may be exerted by a teacher. Is it any wonder, then, that honor, truthfulness and a high sense of decorum characterized the scholars?

I must give one incident illustrating this last point. Our school was a mixed school of both sexes. A stranger joined our school for several months. He used bad language and that same in the presence of the girls—a thing unheard of in our school. He was admonished by the big boys, but he did not improve. It was decided that he must be corrected. The girls, as the offended party, claimed the right to administer the punishment. He was thrown down on his face by one of the big boys and then delivered, without further interference, to the tender mercies of the girls. One large, heavy girl lay across his shoulders and held him down while another laid it on well with chinquapin switches previously prepared for the purpose. I need not say the cure was complete and permanent. More than twenty years afterward when both the chastiser and the chastised were in honorable positions in society the man frankly acknowledged to the woman that this was the turning point in his life and warmly thanked her for the timely chastisement. The incident occurred after Mr. Stephens had left us; but he had done much, if not to originate, at least to foster the high spirit which underlay this incident.

With his well known quickness, acuteness and clearness of intellect, and the moral methods spoken of above, it is unnecessary to say that Mr. Stephens was an unusually successful teacher. I was myself very young and still struggling with the three Rs, but my brother John was prepared by him for college by instructions in algebra, geometry, Latin and Greek.

One thing more I must mention. Mr. Stephens came to Liberty, young, ardent, ambitious, thirsting for knowledge. He was then brought into intimate association with my father, who was then about fifty years of age. I would not deem it necessary or appropriate to refer to this, except that Mr. Stephens himself always considered this association as forming an epoch in his intellectual career. My father, Louis LeConte, was a man such as is rarely found except in the olden time and in the south. He was a wide reader and a deep and thoroughly original thinker on all subjects, but especially profound in all departments of science, and yet utterly careless of literary or scientific reputation. He was content to do his whole duty toward a large family and a large number of slaves. To feel his power it was necessary to know the man. How many such men were there, and still are, scattered over the south. Mr. Stephens was profoundly impressed. To his young, bright, ardent mind, it was almost like a new revelation. He always afterward, to the days of his death, expressed unstintingly his gratitude and admiration. I never met him but he spoke of it. I have heard many times indirectly of his having expressed himself in the same way to others. He seemed never to tire of the subject. His estimate seems in fact almost unequalled, but this only brings into strong relief a characteristic of Mr Stephens's—viz, the unstinted generosity of his innermost nature—generosity where generosity is rarest—in the estimate of the intellectual ability of others.

I need not say that the warm friendship which began between teacher and pupil, strengthened with our years. Our paths in life lay in wholly different directions and we therefore seldom meet; but when we did meet, politics and science were both forgotten in pleasant reminiscences of the early days in Liberty.

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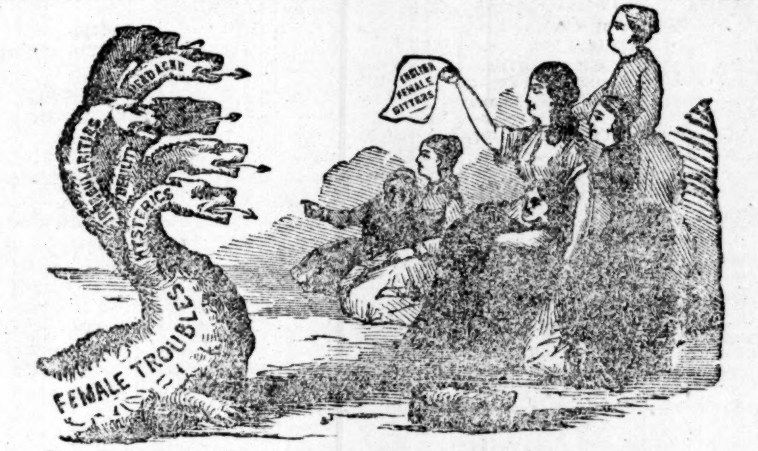

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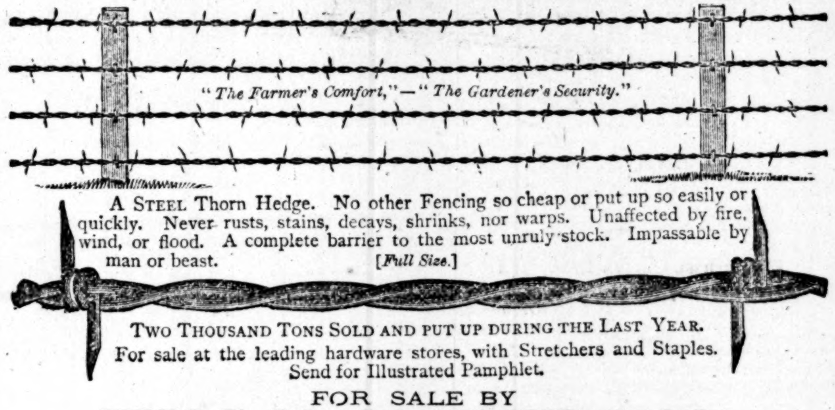

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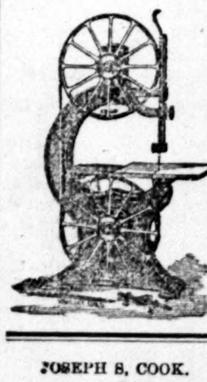

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INDICATIONS for the South and middle Atlantic states, fair weather succeeded in northern portions by local rains, north to west winds, higher barometer, stationary or slight rise in temperature.

IT IS generally conceded in the northwest that there will be very good crops this year if the farmers can make up for the time lost in March. March was a very inclement month, and the farm work that is usually done in that month of the year must be done in April this year. April bids fair to be equal to the strain, and the northwest is becoming correspondingly hopeful.

THE nomination of Henry D. McDaniel is received with deep satisfaction throughout the state. We do not publish this morning any expressions of the press on the subject, simply because there is no diversity of sentiment in the democratic papers of the state. The people heartily indorse a nomination that unifies the democracy and that will give the state an excellent governor.

THE American hog can no longer be carried into Germany by direct routes, but no law can prevent the introduction of hog products in packages of the surrounding countries. The American hog is not in favor in Europe, chiefly because growers in this country are not careful to keep their hogs free of disease. If Europe will not have our hogs, the southern farmer who does not make his own meat, will be punished a little less severely than perhaps he deserves to be.

CONGRESS reduced letter postage from three to two cents, and it increared the pay of the postmasters of lesser offices. The result is, about three-fourths of the offices will be conducted to pay their postmasters, and the revenue of the government will be drawn from the large offices. In all offices that do not now sell stamps to the amount of $400 the government will get very little. In a $600 office the government will under the new law get only $112. There are not over one hundred officers in this state that will contribute to the revenue of the government.

THE fight in the treasury department over the duty on rice relates to rice flour or rice meal, which is used by brewers to give their beer better color and taste. The rice meal is nothing but rice, and the rice growers claim that it should be subjected to a duty of 2½ cents a pound, or the duty on whole rice. Colonel John Screven, of Savannah, Judge Baker, of Charleston, and others were present at the hearing of this question, representing the planting interest. The importers of foreign rice were represented by New York and Washington lawyers. It is believed the article in question will be classed as rice, thereby becoming subject to the highest duty that rice in any form bears.

THE Macon Telegraph and THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION seem disposed to rake over the ashes of the late convention to find a few embers hot enough to burn yet. When the people of the state are satisfied, or indifferent, why should those journals fret?—Columbus Enquirer.

The Enquirer does THE CONSTITUTION injustice. We have no cause to fret, and certainly have no disposition to rake over the embers of this or any other campaign. We failed to get our first choice and aided materially in getting our second. We are satisfied, and think the people are. The Enquirer will not go farther than THE CONSTITUTION in holding up the administration of Mr. McDaniel. He will receive all the assistance we can give him, and if we fret about his nomination it will be over what he does in the future, not what he has done in the past.

THE ELECTION FOR GOVERNOR.

The nomination of Mr. McDaniel by the democratic convention has been received by the people of the state with the most enthusiastic approbation, and this fact obviates the necessity of any formal campaign so far as the democratic newspapers are concerned. There will be no speeches made, and no appeals to the voters, for work of this sort has been rendered unnecessary by the unbounded satisfaction with which the people have received the nomination.

This satisfaction has manifested itself so unmistakably that it is not likely that the republicans will make any contest. The leaders of that organization—if, indeed, it can be called an organization—perceive that to make a nomination and enter into a contest would result simply in making an exhibition of their own weakness, and we may take it for granted that there will be no republican candidate.

The situation is immensely flattering to the democratic nominee. The reputation he has made in the general assembly as a safe and thoroughgoing legislator, and as a bold and incorruptible champion of the people, has served to carry his name into every section of the state. The voters have confidence in his integrity, and the best sentiment of the state is gratified to know that he is to be placed in a position where his judgment and his experience will be exercised in behalf of Georgia.

But while there is no necessity for any formal campaign, in the absence of any contest, the democratic voters of the state should bear in mind that they can best show their confidence in their nominee by going to the polls and casting their ballots for him. This much is due, not only to Mr. McDaniel, but to the spirit of unity and harmony that now animates the democratic organization. If there were the slightest sign of opposition to the nominee of the convention, the democratic voters of the state might be depended upon to go to the polls in a body, as in many other contests. Under the present circumstances, it is the duty of democrats to go to the polls and give substantial indorsement to the work of their convention.

The election will be held one week from today, and it is to be hoped that democrats will not remain away from the polls simply because there is no opposition to their candidate. They cannot better show their interest in their own concerns, or in the general welfare and progress of the state, than by taking a little time to vote for Henry McDaniel.

FROST IN AUGUST.

A few of our state exchanges, congratulating themselves upon what they are pleased to term the defeat of the Atlanta ring, are inclined to sympathize with THE CONSTITUTION. This is very gratifying. It demonstrates the fact that whenever the occasion may arise for THE CONSTITUTION to feel like the Man who got Left, it will not find the usual channels of condolence closed. Just at present, however, the sympathetic suggestions of our befuddled contemporaries is misdirected. They do not understand the situation. Not being printed and edited upon the spot, as it were, they are not in a position to clearly comprehend the situation. "When the smoke of battle has cleared away"—to use the phrase of an old and able editor—our sympathetic contemporaries will discover that they have wasted a good deal of valuable time.

What they term the Atlanta ring is really the people of Georgia, as has been demonstrated time and again. This fact will continue to be demonstrated right straight along without any intermission for music and refreshments. This brings us to the pretty little moral of contemporary politics in this state, and that moral is this: There will be a heavy frost in Georgia in the Month of August the year that the People and THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION gets Left.

THE SOUTH AFTER DAKOTA.

A few years ago the great stream of migration from the populous northern states flowed into Kansas and Nebraska, and the current was maintained until all the fertile lands in the rain section of those states were taken up—until their rich lands could no longer be had at $1.25 an acre. Just now the current is flowing into Dakota and even to Manitoba. In the course of a few years—certainly not more than ten—there will no longer be public lands of real value that can be taken up. Where then will the people who are in search of cheap lands and new homes go? The St. Louis Republican thinks they will go to the south. "The southern states," it adds, "are not half settled. In them are to be found vast districts of well timbered but unoccupied land, which have been overlooked in the eager movement to the west, but which will begin to attract attention when western lands advance in price to a point at which immigrants will not buy them. There are lands in Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama that can be bought at $3 to $5 per acre; there are lands even in Virginia and North Carolina that can be bought at $5 to $10 per acre. These have little attraction for immigrants as long as government lands are to be had under homestead entry or at $1.25 per acre; but they will become desirable and be sought after when no more government lands are to be had under homestead entry or at $1.25; and when that time comes we shall probably see a steady movement from the old states into the south. The recent settlement of large numbers of northern people in upper and central Texas shows that there is no insurmountable objection to a southern climate on the part of northern people. When they move they prefer to move along the parallels of latitude, if the other conditions are favorable; but the Americans are a restless people, and if they cannot move west and northwest, they will move south."

THE announcement is made that Mr. Charles R. Miller has been made editor-in-chief of the New York Times. Mr. Miller is well known in Atlanta where he made many friends during a brief visit to the cotton exposition. He is a young man of scholarly attainments, and a vigorous writer, peculiarly fitted in every way to take charge of the model American newspaper.

THE Salt Lake Tribune says that "there never was a time when so many young girls were going into polygamy as at present." This is a statement that is something more than a confession. It is sad to reflect that many of these young girls are among those who have been sent to Utah from North Georgia. Mormonism is prostitution.

EDITOR SMITH, of the Philadelphia Press, takes advantage of the spring thaw to fling a powerful rough harpoon into Colonel Hugh J. Hastings, a violent republican editor of New York. Editor Smith evidently believes that the proper way to secure harmony among the republican brethren is to kill off the ungodly.

GOVERNOR BENJAMIN, of Massachusetts, denies that he has the presidential bee in his bonnet. And why should he have? Governor Benjamin is running rapidly, but even at the present rate of progress, it will require twenty years of steady work to reform all the abuses in Massachusetts.

THE Philadelphia Press thinks that the present is a good time to send some of our silver coin to King Kalakaua. But the Press is mistaken. We need all our silver dollars at home—right here in their own native clime.

THE president has had a rather boisterous interview with a fragment of the Seminole Indians in Florida. He was so much pleased with Tiger-Tail and his tribe that he made Chandler promise not to rob them.

LITTLE MR. BILLY CHANDLER has managed to kill a Florida alligator. William is said to be almost as proud of this feat as he was when he succeeded in bribing the republican members of the Florida returning board.

THE republican organs continue to dare the democrats to meddle with the tariff, but the organs may as well make up their minds to the fact that the democrats will make an honest effort to reduce taxation.

IN New Haven, Conn., five hundred people, including the village editors, stood in the rain and looked at the Pullman coach in which Mrs. Langtry and Gebhardt were playing seven-up.

SIX thousand Ohio men are applicants for positions in the railway postal service. It would seem from this that a majority of the Ohio republicans are tired of clerking in beer saloons.

GEORGE CABLE, the novelist, has become quite dissipated recently. He has even gone so far as to attend a theatrical performance. Mark Twain will weep when he hears of this.

THE public will be glad to learn that the blue plums in Mr. Tilden's backyard have not yet been nipped by an untimely frost.

IF O'Donovan Rossa was the patriot he pretends to be, he would place a bomb under the Hon. John Kelly.

LET the unterrified democracy of Ohio attach themselves to the standard of the red bandanna.

A MISSOURI man has a fit every time he sees one of his kinfolks. This man should lecture.

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DR. MARK HOPKINS, the venerable former president of Williams college, who is now over 80 years old, is visiting in Washington.

THE Chicago Advance learns from private letters that Messrs. Moody and Sankey and their party will sail from Liverpool for this country on the 19th inst.

DR. GATLING, the inventor of the famous gun, is a southerner, but looks like an elderly German. He is still hard at work at other inventions, and promises to again surprise the world.

THE New York and Brooklyn Congregational association has unanimously adopted a resolution regretting the withdrawal of Rev. H. W. Beecher, and expressing the hope that he will reconsider his determination and return to the body.

A RECEPTION was given to Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes by Dr. Fordyce Barker in New York on Tuesday afternoon, and a dinner to the same author by John Jacob Astor in the evening. Both were attended by persons noted for their wealth and culture.

REASONABLY well to-do clergymen were the late Rev. Sir Frederick Vincent, canon of Chichester, and the late Rev. Richard T. Lancaster, of Cheltenham. Their wills, just proved, dispose of personalities amounting to about $1,150,000 and $685,000, respectively.

EMINENT medical authority from Philadelphia has pronounced hopeless the condition of Mr. Justice Stanley Matthews's son, who is suffering from tuberculosis. The sisters of the youthful sufferer have been cabled at Paris, France, whither they went a month since to return at once.

HERR MAX BRUCH, the distinguished German composer, who has recently arrived in this country, is described as a man of medium hight, with a large head which is slightly bald and a typical German face. He appears to be genial and good humored and speaks English very intelligently.

EDWARD GOULD has completed fifty years of service as cashier of what is now the National trader's bank of Portland, Me. He was first elected cashier on March 9, 1833, when the institution was called the Manufacturers' and Traders' bank. Mr. Gould is seventy-eight years old and in excellent health.

"EX-MAYOR HUTCHINSON," says the Ithaca Journal, "is Utica's third Napoleon. With his imperial moustache and goatee, he so closely resembled the late emperor that while in England, accidentally meeting the Empress Eugene, so much startled was she by his likeness to her dead husband that she fainted."

UNTIL 1867 Prince Bismarck only owned the estate of Schonhausen, 2,800 acres of land, some of it very good. In 1867 he bought Varzin, in Pomerania, from Count Blumenthal, with the $300,000 granted him by parliament. In 1871 the emperor gave him Sachenwald, to which he has added, by purchase, property bringing up its annual value to $25,000.

THOMAS H. BLYTHE was mentioned in a San Francisco dispatch the other day as "the dead millionaire whose will it is expected several women will contest." Mr. Blythe, as the San Francisco papers report, was worth about $2,500,000. He was one of the "forty-niners," and apparently never had any business except that of speculating in property. Some years ago he founded "Blythe City," on the Colorado river. Part of the town is in Mexico and part in the United States, the dividing line of the two republics running through the place. For the improvement of Blythe City land he dug a canal that cost $200,000.

POLITICAL NOTES.

THE average age of United States senators is 51. Only one of them was born west of the Mississippi.

THE Connecticut house has rejected the bill establishing a commission to investigate the pollution of streams and other waters.

A COMPULSORY education bill, the senate substitute for the original bill of the house, has been passed by the Rhode Island legislature.

SUNSET COX is still telling about the negro's toast: "Here's to General Butler, who, though he has a white skin, bless God he has a black heart."

SENATOR JONES, of Florida, intends to visit Europe this summer, whence he came forty years ago, a poor Irish boy, to seek fame and fortune in America.

GENERAL JAMES S. ROBINSON, one of the Ohio representatives in congress, said to a New York reporter yesterday that, in his opinion, "the Congressional Record is useless and ought to be abolished."

EX-REPRESENTATIVE EPPA HUNTON, of Virginia, thinks McDonald, of Indiana, will be the next nominee of the democrats for the presidency. "Anyway," he says, "whoever the democrats nominate will be elected."

THE French protectorate of Tonquin has been admitted by China on condition of payment of tribute. Two years ago the French government disclaimed the intention of acquiring these possessions. It appears that no European power objects to the course France is taking in Asia.

A BILL has been favorably reported in the New York assembly which makes it a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment or by fine not exceeding $50 to sell, loan or give a dime novel or work of fiction to any person under sixteen years of age without the consent of parent or guardian.

IT is related of the supreme court of Massachusetts that an old and experienced lawyer coming into the court room and looking at the bench, distinguished perhaps for ability more than age, murmured in the ear of another old advocate, "Kindergarten! By Jove!" and walked out.

DR. MORELL MACKENZIE says that guaiac given early will rarely fail to cut short an acute tonsillitis. The formula is as follows: Resin guaiac 70 gram.; gum tragacanth, 43 gram.; sacchar. alb., 17 gram.; black currant paste, q. s. M. Div. in trochischi No. 350. Sig.: One every two hours. One can also give aconite, as recommended by Ringer. If the disease is not checked, give small pellets of ice.

THE sunflower does not turn with the sun, but a recent observer finds that a majority of the flowers do have a prevaling direction when opening. In the case of one of the perennial sunflowers of sixty-eight flowers, up to one time all had their heads inclining to the southeast. Three days after this, with seventy-three flowers open, twenty-one among the older ones had advanced toward the northeast, their horizontal faces becoming nearly erect during the journey.

OFFICIAL figures from sixty-one counties in Michigan give John W. Champlin and Thomas R. Sherwood, the fusion candidates for supreme court judges, pluralities of 11,023 and 5,168 respectively. The estimated and reported majorities from the remaining seventeen counties reduce Sherwood's plurality to 1,105 and Champlin's plurality will be reduced to about 7,000. The total prohibition vote was about 15,000. Last year the fusion candidate for governor had a plurality of 4,572.

POSTMASTER GENERAL GRESHAM has approved the design for the new two-cent stamp. The body of the stamp is on a tablet, and contains the profile of Washington, similar to that on the three-cent stamp. Surrounding this is an oval band, in the upper portion of which is the legend: "U. S. postage." At the bottom of this band is the large numerical two, and at the bottom of the tablet are the words, "two cents." The color of the stamp has not yet been decided upon, and will not be until the stamp is engraved.

MOLLIE MATCHES, whose skill as a burglar is known all over the United States, and whose face has graced several penitentiaries, is handling a mallet and chisel in the marble works of the Joliet (Ill.) prison. Matches is booked for fifteen as the guest of the state of Illinois for a little bank robbery in which he was the leading figure, at Galesburg, about a year ago. Being quite a philosopher, says a correspondent, Mollie bides his time, and doesn't expect to stay so long against his will, if he can through the governor or in any other manner find his way to liberty and his old tricks. There is no shrewder man in Joliet than this same Mollie Matches.

PRETTY soon there will be some lively news from the Congo region. M. de Brazza has at last sailed thither, with Henri Rochefort, Jr., as his right-hand comrade. He takes with him sixteen directors of industrial works, thirty scientists and politicians, and 100 riflemen. His baggage comprises 350 muskets, 150 revolvers, 4,000 sabres, thirty tons of gunpowder, and some thousands of gallons of brandy. He has also 100 000 old and worn out rifles, given to him by the government, for barter with the natives. Meanwhile Mr. Stanley is supposed to be sitting on a stump at the mouth of the Congo, with his elephant-gun across his knees, loaded to the muzzle, while a choir of dusky natives in the background softly sings, "I'm Waiting, de Brazza, for Thee."

SOUTHERN INTELLIGENCE.

THE undisputed debt of Arkansas is $5,062,020.

A WAYNE county, Ky., man has 3 500 fruit trees.

THE small grain crops of Texas are growing finely.

SELMA has received up to date 105,000 bales of cotton.

LAND in Hot Springs, Ark., recently brought $412 per front foot.

IN one trade in Chattanooga $8,000 worth of tanbark was sold.

THE Fort Worth, Texas, waterworks will be running by April 20.

MISS R. L. WILLIAMS, of Montgomery county, Ky., has 300 young chickens.

FOUR thousand visitors have stopped at the Tallahassee hotels, Florida, since October.

A RICH deposit of silver has just been discovered nine miles from Gainsboro, Tenn.

'TIS said the orange crop in Florida this year will be the largest ever produced there.

THERE are nearly two hundred houses in course of construction in Knoxville, Tennessee.

COTTON is up in Montgomery county, Alabama, and the stand good; young corn looking well.

A GARFISH, five feet long, weighing sixteen pounds, was caught a few days ago in the Alabama river.

A BIG chicken fight for $1,000 a side will come off in Raleigh, North Carolina, on the 1st, 2d and 3d of May.

THERE will be only half a peach crop around Talladega, Ala., but the apple and pear trees will give a full yield.

A MUHLENBURG (Ky.) county man has a handkerchief made in 1740 and fifty feet of walnut lumber sawed 1823.

GRAND lodge of the independent order of Good Templars of South Carolina will be held in Spartanburg April 24.

THERE are now over 150 students at the Alabama conference female college, the largest number it has ever had.

PROFESSOR J. J. SCHARDT, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, will manufacture 1,000 gallons of wine from his vineyard this year.

MEMPHIS claims a population of 50,000, and has but 26 police patrolmen, 13 on day duty, and the same number on night duty.

THE legislature of Tennessee fixed the pay of firemen and policemen of Memphis at $70 per month. They are now getting $60.

GENERAL J. R. JEFFERSON's possessions in Tom Green county, Texas, are valued at $250,000, the larger portion of which has been made in two years.

THE tramps in Travis park, San Antonio, Texas, are getting high toned. They carry a piece of carpet to lay on when they have to sleep out nights.

MCKINNEY, Texas, has a ten pin alley, notwithstanding the fact that it has to pay a license tax of $1,000 to the state, $500 to the county and $500 to the municipality.

AN English company have purchased 90,000 acres iron lands in East Tennessee. They supply a capital of $1,000,000, and will erect furnaces at once giving employment to 300 men.

GENERAL NOTES.

DYNAMITARDS, if caught by England, get lifelong servitude. The O'Donovan has wisely gone out of the business.

ENGLISH railroads have paid, since 1876, over $5,000,000 damages for personal injuries to passengers. In 1876, $1,435,000 was paid in this way.

THERE is good authority for the statement, that Japan and Greece each spend more money for common schools in proportion to their wealth than the United States.

THE complete costume of a fashionable lady of the Friendly islands has lately been presented to the public library of Woburn, Mass. It is a square blanket, tattooed with various devices, and made from wood-pulp, or rather bark pulp.

GOVERNOR SHELDON, of New Mexico lives in a veritable palace. It is only one story high and is built of mud, but it is 250 feet long, nearly 300 years old, has sheltered Spanish governors without number, and always held the name of "palace."

THE tide of emigration to the northwest is the greatest ever known. It is estimated that not less than 10,000 passengers are forwarded weekly through St. Paul to points in the northwest. The number of emigrants is so great that the Northern Pacific and Manitoba lines are seriously embarrassed by lack of sufficient rolling stock.

A CORRESPONDENT writes that the ordeal of presentation day at Buckingham palace is the curiosity of the crowd, who surge about the carriages and take an inventory of the apparel of the occupants. One lady has stained the glass of her coach windows in order to escape the inquisitorial eye, and another used her court train for a screen.

PHILADELPHIA has a mile and a half of cable street railroad ready to operate, running along Columbia avenue from Twenty-third street to Fairmount park. Its construction was begun nearly a year ago. There are 2,500,000 pounds of iron buried in the roadway, the cable itself is of steel, 9,200 feet long, and the motors are two 100 horse-power engines.

ACCORDING to the last census there are 3,000 actors and 2,000 actresses in the United States. It is estimated that these, with other people who depend on the theatrical profession for a living, will easily make a total of 15,000 people who contribute to the support of at least 35,000 others, making a total of 50,000 persons dependent in one way or other on the profession.

SIX men and one woman in Philadelphia have organized the "National cremation society," which is in substance a sort of insurance company. Members are admitted upon payments graduated according to the expectation of life—those 21 years old for $3 a year, those 30 at $4, and so on—and at their death the society will furnish coffin, hearse and one carriage, pay all expenses of transportation, and have the person's remains cremated.

NORTHAMPTON has been the chief seat of English shoemaking ever since the days of Magna Charta John, who was himself shod there, as an ancient record shows. The spirit of the redoubtable barons still bears fruit in the radical politics of the place, which to-day sends Labouchere and Bradlaugh to parliament, and which when Cromwell's army marched through it furnished the soldiers with 20,000 pairs of shoes. More than 30,000 persons are now employed there in the shoe trade.

"GATH" writes in the New York Tribune: "I saw a gentleman who spent the last three months in Mexico looking for business investments, particularly in tobacco; he does not bring a good account of the country. Every train guarded with soldiers from Vera Cruz to the capital seemed to him to be a warlike preface; then in Mexico he saw the gentlemen of the town riding with arms in the parks. The people are, in general, meagre consumers of anything but common drink and common meat, and the agricultural facilities of the country are dwarfed by the uncertainty of the society and the as yet immature, not to say demi-savage, condition of almost everything."

MADAME PATTI gave a dinner party to a few gentlemen in New York Sunday evening. She had been invited to attend a dinner party to be given in her honor the same evening by Mrs. Paran Stevens, but had been obliged to decline, she said, because she was to sing Monday evening. "I was very sorry," she said, "to be obliged to decline Mrs Stevens's invitation, but where there are ladies at dinner one has to do so much talking that it tires me very much, and I always have to refuse such invitations when the dinner is so near the evening on which I sing, I'm afraid of getting tired and injuring my throat. At a party where the guests are all gentlemen, it is not so trying to me, for they usually entertain themselves, and I'm not obliged to talk so much as when I'm with ladies."

"BILL" NYE writes to his Boomerang a plaintive Jeremiad from Greeley, Colorado, though it is difficult to determine whether his grief is caused by the attempts of iniquity to gain a footing in that town, or by the resolute efforts of the inhabitants to keep it out. Anyway "this is a wicked world" he remarks. "I said that this morning to a Chicago drummer, and we went away into a secluded place where we could weep together. I told him that I would protect him if he would cover me with his overshadowing wing; and he said he would while he stayed here. After a while, however, he will go away, and then I've got to look out for myself, and I'm not strong, yet, either, too, already. All I can do is stay in my room most of the time, and get away from here just as soon as possible."

IDLE NEW YORK BROKERS.

From the Augusta Chronicle.

Wall street is reported to be sepulchrally dull to the brokers in these days. The western, southern and even eastern "lambs" do not wander from the home fold to be sheared by the pious and impious gentlemen who have played so many seductive tricks upon them in the past. It will be a good thing for the south especially if her people shun New York speculation as an orthodox Christian does the enemy of mankind. We suspect that the brokers of Gotham will not have much to learn when they reach the ironworks, if they have the misfortune to do so without repentance. At present however, they are engaged in the study of astronomy, the microscope, archæology and playing head or tails with bank notes of a small denomination. A foreign banker gives, in the Herald, some potent reesons for the blight that has fallen upon Wall street. He says:

"This country presents the grandest opportunities in the world for profitable investments in developing its vast natural resources, and the capital of the whole world might be expected to come to us, yet there is to day no demand in Europe for the shares of our railroads or other corporations. Why? Because of the intense distrust that has been created by the dishonest manipulations and tricks of those having control of them. Directors and executive officials of your railway companies almost invariably gamble in the shares of the property they control, and the roads are managed, not for the benefit of the real owners—the shareholders—but to further personal schemes. The collapse of Erie gave such a shock to the confidence of English and continental capitalists in American securities that it took years to recover from it. The stock waterings, the "consolidations," the "mergers" and "[illegible] agreements," with all their attendant jugglery of issuing the securities of one company in an arbitrary ratio for those of another, the frightful frauds perpetrated through construction companies, the corruption of judges and legislators and the frequent lack of simple honesty and truthfulness among those at the head of your enterprises—all these have operated to produce the existing distrust of American investments. Look at what has been done right under your nose in the city here, with the Western Union and with the elevated railroad companies, and tell me what security can anybody three thousand miles away feel when he puts his money under the control of the men who have perpetrated those abuses?"

Now that our people have learned, by bitter experience, the truth of these statements, let them steer clear of all such entanglements in the future. Let money made at the south be invested here. That is the true policy and the only safe one.

A REMARKABLE DUST.

On February 26 there was discovered in the snow in several places in Trondhjem Amt, in North Norway, a fine dust, which, it was believed, originated from the Iceland volcanoes, such an occurrence having taken place in 1875. Dr. H. Reusch, of the mineralogical faculty of Christiana university, having examined the samples forwarded to him, now states, however, that the dust is not of an eruptive nature, but consists of common sand, fine stones, quartz, hornblende and talc, mixed with very fine particles of vegetable matter. The phenomenon is nevertheless remarkable, as the dust must have been carried a very long distance, the whole of the country having for months been covered with deep snow. The dust fell over a district of several degrees. The wind blew strongly from north-northwest. Clouds of dust passing along in the air at great elevations are not unusual. Thus Professor Smyth in his book on Teneriffe states that oftentimes while at high altitudes, the view of portions of distant islands would be almost entirely cut off by strata of dust in the air. The existence of these clouds of dust in the midst of the ocean, at a great distance from land is an interesting problem. While experimenting upon mount Ætna in Italy, where the air is of the purest and clearest, Professor Langley also encountered these clouds of dust; and, on mount Whitney in California, at an elevation of 13,000 feet, the same phenomenon was observed.

A PATIENT WIFE.

From the Texas Siftings.

"I have heard," said the kind-hearted Austin female philanthropist to the woman who lived in a dilapidated shanty in the suburbs, whose head was tied up, and who had one arm in a sling. "I have heard that your husband beats you, and I thought I would consult with you to see if we could not restrain him."

"You are mistaken, madame: my husband never beats me. We have lived together fifteen years, and he has never beat me yet," and the woman adjusted her arm in the sling.

"I am so glad to hear that I am mistaken," replied the female philanthropist.

"No," continued the woman sadly, putting the bandage over her eye, "he has never struck me a blow yet. He has kicked me in a dozen different places forty different times, he has taken me by my two ears and bumped my head on the floor, or on the corner of the mantlepiece, he has poured hot water down my back, pulled out my hair by the handful, and he has stuck pins in me a time or so; he feeds the horse on my new spring bonnet, but he has never beat me yet, and until he does, I don't think I ought to complain."

A SUGGESTION TO MR. RANDALL.

From the Louisville Courier Journal.

As for Mr. Randall, about whom so much is being said, but who is himself so silent, it may be remarked that the suggestion of the Omaha Herald, not a hostile adviser, that he quit the race for speaker and content himself with the appropriations committee, is a wise one. Mr. Randall is an able, expert and honest man in the business of legislation. He made a great chairman of the appropriations committee. It is a great place. He could bring in a measure which would make his name resound throughout the land. It would put him at the head of a united democratic majority in the house. If he is wise enough to take the advice of Dr. Miller, who is animated by strong personal ties of memory and association, he may yet be a democratic president of the United States. If he does not, and continues to identify himself with the Pennsylvania tariff pirates, he will go under. His true course is to recall the example of George M. Dallas and imitate it.

ONLY ONE HONEST MAN.

From the Detroit Post.

"This am a very wicked world," sighed Uncle Jo, a negro who does duty about the city with a buck and saw.

"Why so, Uncle Jo?"

"Well, you see, I hab been keeping account the last week ob how many times I hab been beaten in my business transactions, and the result am perfectly astonishing. Ob six men I worked fur, three ob dem beat me like eberything; de grocery store man beat me seben times, and a boot and shoe man sold me a dollar pair ub shoes fur two dollars."

"That was a very bad week, indeed, Uncle Jo; but didn't you find any one that was perfectly honest?"

"Oh, yas, dar was wun man who paid me a five dollar gold piece for a penny."

"I suppose you gave it back to him, Uncle Jo?"

"Why, ob course I didn't. D'y spose I am going to get beat all de while, and den lose such a chance as dat?"

Why Girls Dance.

From the Philadelphia Times.

"Shall I tell you why I dance and why I seem so infatuated with it?" asked a young lady a few days ago. "It is this" (she was a beautiful and accomplished girl, the daughter of wealthy persons, and apparently had everything necessary to make her happy): "I have no aim in life that can stir me to enthusiasm, and I have the blues continually except when I am dancing. Music and a good partner is the only thing I know that drives them off. The theater is dull, and every new book only confirms my distrust of human nature. I am not a 'blighted being,' but the more I see and know the less I care for married life. I think the distaste for married life does not exist so much with young men as many suppose. If there were any of the right kind of young men—young men with noble principles and superior intelligence as well as personal graces—it might be different, but the race seems dying out. With my present tastes and views I am not likely to marry any one, so I just dance because I get more enjoyment out of that than anything else. There is no difficulty in getting partners, and that is all I think society men are good for—to dance with."

Swapping a Jackass for a $40,000 Lot.

From the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Henry Clay once owned the lot opposite the white house, in Washington, and Commodore Rogers wanted it, but the old whig persistently refused to dispose of it. On his return from the Mediterranean the commodore brought in one of his vessels a fine Andalusian jackass which Clay wanted for his Kentucky stock farm. All his offers were rejected, until one day the commodore said: "You can have him for your lot opposite the white house." "Done," was Clay's reply, and the animal was shipped off to Kentucky. The commodore built the now historic house, which Secretary Seward occupied during the war. Here Payne endeavored to assassinate him on the night when President Lincoln was shot. The lot is now valued at $40,000.

A Heavy Failure in Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, April 16.—James Marshall & Co., iron pipe manufacturers, one of the largest firms in business, made an assignment to-day to George J. Whitney for the benefit of creditors. Liabilities, $1,500,000; assets about $1,250,000. The failure was due to an extensive speculation in pig iron since 1879. James Marshall has been purchasing largely of pig under the belief that prices must advance. The dullness of trade after the long strike, then uncertainty as to what congress would do about the tariff, and finally absence of the expected advance after the tariff bill had been passed, all contributed to bring about the failure. The Pittsburg banks are the largest creditors, but will lose nothing, as they have collaterals for their loans which will realize the amounts of paper held by them.

The Turf in Memphis.

MEMPHIS, April 16.—The spring meeting of the new Memphis Jockey club began to-day. The weather was perfect and the track in fine condition, and the attendance large. The first race was a dash of one mile for all ages, purse $250, and was won by Pearl Jennings; Calloa, second; Fellowplay, third. time 1:46¾. Lute Fogle sulked at the starting post. Second race, Peabody hotel stakes, two-year-old fillies, dash of one-half mile, was won by Greer's Unknown; Jennie M., second; Lindora, 3; time 52½. Third race, Chickasaw Guard stakes, for three year olds, 1¼ miles: won by Aztec. Joe S. 2, Tamerlane 3, time 2:16. Fourth race, steeple chase, about 2¼ miles: won by Eva A.; Florence D., the favorite, 2; Tennessee Girl 3; time 5:18¾. Athelstone refused the third hurdle. Tennessee Girl fell, but her jockey remounted and continued the race to the finish.

Bradstreet's Burned.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The five story building Nos. 279 and 281 and 283 Broadway, occupied by Bradstreet's commercial agency, E. Remington & Sons, rifle manufacturers and the Hall safe and lock company, was gutted by fire yesterday. The total loss is about $170,000 which is partly covered by insurance. In Bradstreet's offices were stored many years accumulations of statistics and financial and commercial information. It is hoped that these may be saved as they are in fire proof safes. The fire will not interrupt the original working of the agency department of Bradstreet's in the Broadway building. Remington & Son's loss was mainly caused by water, as was also that of the Hall's safe and lock company.

A Judgment Reversed.

JACKSON, Miss., April 16.—The supreme court today in the case of Chalmers vs. Myers, secretary of state, reversed the decision of Judge Wharton, of the circuit court, and entered a judgment dismissing Chalmers's petition for mandamus. The opinion was delivered by Judge Campbell and is very elaborate. Its conclusion is that the secretary of state, having declared Manning elected, and the governor having issued him a certificate of election, the case is put beyond the jurisdiction of the courts and in such shape that congress alone can now interfere.

A Strange and Fatal Disease.

Special to The Constitution.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 16.—Two weeks ago a child died in the family of a man named Westbrook, at Graysville, Georgia. Soon thereafter other members of the family were stricken down with a singular disease. Sunday the mother and four children died, and to day two more children, making seven members of the same family, are laying dead at the same time. Only one member left, the father, who is crazed with mingled fear and grief. It is not known of what disease they died.

A Law Needed.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The treasury department has been informed that a quanty of vine cutting has been imported into the port of New York, from China, which custom house officials think are infected with phyloxera. There is no law authorizing the destruction of such importations. The treasury department recognizes the fact that this a matter of great importance to the vine interests of this country and will confer with the agricultural department on the subject.

A Vessel Wrecked.

BALTIMORE, April 16.—Captain Heinke, of the steamship Strassburg, arrived to-day, reports that on April 8th in latitude 42° 24', longitude 43° 33' he fell in with the Norwegian brig Alhalla Lord, a wrecked vessel, having been set on fire at seven a. m., that date. The crew was taken on board the Strassburg and brought to Baltimore. Captain Woohl, the mate, the steward and one of the seamen were dangerously injured. The brig was loaded with rosin and turpentine, sent from Wilmington, North Carolina, March 21, and was bound for Hamburg.

A Baptist Preacher's Change.

PETERSBURG, April 16.—W. A. Pearson, pastor of Byrne St. Baptist church in this city, tendered his resignation yesterday to accept a call from Smithfield, Va. Mr. Pearson was formerly pastor of the Baptist church in Barnwell, S. C., and came here three years ago.

Death of a Rich Newspaper Man.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Francis S. Street, one of the proprietors of the New York Weekly, died yesterday. He leaves four children and an estate valued at one and a half millions.

Straddle the Right Name.

From the New York Tribune.

Mr. S. Randall calls himself Mr. Sam Randall. But those who have seen the baptismal register assert that the S. stands for Straddle.

A Dying Bishop.

PITTSBURG, April 16.—Rt. Rev. John Twigg, bishop of the Pittsburg diocese of the Catholic church, was stricken with paralysis Saturday at the Union house and is not expected to live many hours.

The Bourbon Pretender.

PARIS, April 16.—Count DeChambord is better. The reports of his illness have been exaggerated.

THE DROP AND THE CLOUD.

In a mountain spring, a crystal drop
Came trembling up to the glassy top;
It came from the dark, cool depths of earth,
And the sunlight kissed it at its birth.

Far up in the azure realms of sky
The clouds of summer were sailing by,
And the little drop looked up and said,
As it saw the glory overhead,
"Oh, would that to me the boon were given
To move in the shining ranks of heaven!"

And oft again in its downward course,
As it hurried from its mountain source—
A bubble, borne by the brimming brook
To many a wild and shadowed nook,
Or loitered slow with the wayward stream—
It thought of its childhood's sky-born dream,
But on and away the waters flow
Through woodland and meadow far below,
Over sandy plain and stony bank,
And through swamps, like jungles, dense and rank;
Imprisoned long within rocky walls,
Now plunging down over dizzy falls,
They turn the wheels of the busy mill:
Now white with foam, now dark and still,
Till at length a river, deep and wide,
It flowed where cities stood by its side,
And at last the river reached the sea,
And the dream and dreamer ceased to be;
The drop was lost in the heaving deep,
Where all the rivers of earth must sleep.

But the sun that kissed the new-born drop,
And whose floods of sunbeams never stop,
Had not forgotten his little child,
Born of a cloud in a mountain wild,
And he loosed his threads of golden light,
And up from a wave of snowy white
The drop was lifted so tenderly
It never knew when it left the sea,
But found itself drawn up to the sky,
Afloat in the heavens, soft and high,
As free as the winds of airy space,
As fair as the morning's tender grace.

One tranquil eve, 'mid the purple ones
That shine in the light of setting suns,
It saw far down on the distant earth
The forest spring where it had its birth,
And all of the winding way it went,
With many a murmur of discontent;
And the early dream came back again,
As the thoughts of youth come back to men
That thread of silver that ever turned
Away from the skies for which it yearned—
That wandering life of fall and foam
That seemed to lead it away from home—
It now could see was the very road
That led it up to its blest abode.

—St. Nicholas.

THROUGH THE CITY.

A GLIMPSE OF CURRENT EVENTS IN ATLANTA.

The Day's Doings in Public Offices—The Record of the Courts, the Railroads and the Hotels—Real Estate Operations—Gossip of All Kinds—Items of General Interest, Etc.

Yesterday was a dull day at the capitol. The governor was out of the city.

The arrangement of the furniture in the new court house progresses slowly.

Many Atlantians went to Macon Sunday and yesterday to witness the fireman's parade.

The stolen watch recovered by Captain Crim Saturday has been claimed by Mr. Khun, the artist.

The total number of interments in Oakland cemetery during the past week was 20; colored 13, white 7.

A Stone Mountain lady ownes two calves, one named Joe Brown and the other Aleck Stephens.

On the 26th instant, Mr. P. J. Blount, of this city, will lead to the altar Miss Mollie Shea, of Augusta, Ga.

On the 1st of May the Good Templars will give a picnic, which doubtless will be the first of the season.

Police Officer Merritt was dismissed yesterday morning, on a charge of assuming the authority of a captain.

It may not be amiss to remark that the amorous sweet shrub now fills the woody dales with its delightful fragrance.

The Stone Mountain chigger is very hardy this season and is ready and waiting for the opening of the picnic season.

The Conyers young lady who lived all last week on the memory of a parting kiss has gone back to spring vegetables.

Mr. Charlie Hill is acting solicitor general for his brother, Mr. Ben Hill, Jr. He makes a graceful and able officer.

Sunday night Dr. L. P. Dozier, of Quitman county and a delegate to the late convention, although quite ill, was sent home.

Jack Cook was arrested yesterday on a peace warrant sworn out by his wife. He now languishe in cell No. 1, at the station house.

An Atlanta young man has sworn to smoke neither cigars, cigarettes nor a pipe. He says Key West cheroots are good enough for him.

Chief Ryan of the fire department has purchased a fine horse with the funds appropriated by the board of firemasters for that purpose.

It is said that a number of tramps are heading this way. Let them come. Judge Clark has a uniform sentence—twelve months—and they all get it.

Mr. Howell Van Epps, of this city, has been selected to deliver the literary address before the Wesleyan Female college, of Macon, at the June commencement.

A number of young men of Atlanta are organizing a social and gymnasium club, which promises to be a very popular institution. Mr. James Lynch is one of the moving spirits.

On Thursday night a complimentary German will be given at the Markham house in honor of Miss Walker, of Chicago, by Miss Wyly, of this city. It promises to be a most pleasant affair.

Mr. White, of the National hotel, is fitting up the King house, at Stone Mountain, and will open it on the 1st of May with nearly three hundred guests. It is said that a special sunday excursion rate of fifty cents to Stone Mountain is to be inaugurated.

A murder trial will be begun in the superior court to-day. The negro Johnson, who killed a negro boy named Matthews, near the ice house, will be put on trial. The case lacks dramatic features, and will hardly draw a crowd of anything but negroes.

Sunday night as three ladies were passing the small store on Marietta street adjoining the Marietta street school, they were assaulted by a young man, one of them receiving several severe blows about the face and neck. The ladies were badly frightened, and screamed, causing the man to take to his heels. The police are investigating the matter.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Memorial association at 5 o'clock to-day, at the Young Men's library. A full attendance is desired. The preparations for the observance of Memorial day will be considered. The thousands of confederate graves at Oakland cemetery will receive the usual offerings of flowers on the 26th. A general turnout of the people on that day is always certain.

A four-year-old daughter of Annie Freeman, a colored woman who resides on Collins street, fell into the fire yesterday evening and was badly burned. The child was standing in front of the fireplace in which there was a big fire, when by some means it fell backward into the flames. Before the mother could rescue the child its head and arms had been badly burned, and the child's life is now in great danger.

The crowd in Jones's bar, near the eastern limit of the city, were treated to a first class fight yesterday evening about dark. The belligerents were Mack Ervin and George Parks, two darkies, and the fight had its origin in liquor. For a few seconds after the war began it was an even fight, but finally Ervin got Parks down and began pounding him in the face with his fist. Parks got his arms around Ervin's neck and, pulling his head down, got an ear between his teeth, which he bit off. No arrest had been made up to a late hour last night.

Sometime ago Major W. F. Slaton carried to a certain jeweler of this city, a fine theodoline to have it repaired. For sometime he did not call for it, but when he did, it could not be found. Yesterday a man entered Major Slaton's office and offered the lost property for sale. Major Slaton recognized his property and took it in and retained the man until the proper authorities arrived. An investigation is being made as to the means by which it disappeared from the jewelry establishment.

At a late hour Saturday night, Inspector Frey received a dispatch from Tampa, Florida, sent by Inspector B. H. Lanier, stating the arrest of Assistant Postmaster Bethel McMullen, of Bay View, a small station thirty miles west of Tampa. Immediately after his arrest, McMullen confessed his guilt, waived examination and gave a bond of $500 for further appearance. Much complaint has been made to Inspector Frey during the past five months of missing valuable letters along the line on which Bay View is situated, and it is thought that McMullen has embezzled $1,000 or more.

Yesterday Mr. Edward A. Angier, temporary receiver of Messrs. Gillett Bros., was notified that a bill had been filed by the counsel of Mr. William M. Blount, of Bainbridge, Ga., asking that he be allowed to take possession of goods amounting to about $7,000, claimed to have been purchased of the Gillett Bros., prior to their failure, the goods now being in the warehouse of Mr. T. J. Oliver. The case was set apart for 6 o'clock, and was heard by Judge Hammond. After much discussion the case was postponed until 5 o'clock Friday evening next. W. S. Gillett's whereabouts still remains a mystery to the authortties.

Yesterday morning the workmen engaged in excavating the basement of the Austell building, discovered that the wall of W. D. Smith's store, No. 28 Decatur, adjoining the Austell property, was giving away. About nine o'clock the wall gave way causing the roof of Mr. Smith's place of business to fall with great force. Fortunately none was hurt, the workmen keeping out of reach of the falling wall, while Mr. Smith remained on the opposite side of his store. The damage sustained is estimated by the loser at about $400. Work was at once began, and at a late hour Mr. Smith had secured himself against further loss by theft during the night.

The installation services of Rev. Dr. B. G. Strickler, to the pastoral charge of the Central Presbyterian church, were conducted at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, and were attended by a large congregation. The services opened with singing followed by prayer, after which Rev. W. E. Boggs, D. D., former pastor of the church, preached the installation sermon. The discourse was eloquent and impressive. At the conclusion of Dr. Boggs remarks, Rev. J. L. Rodgers propounded the constitutional question and delivered the pastoral charge. The charge to the people was then given by Rev. Frank McMurray, of La Grange. The services were very pleasant and interesting and the church is to be congratulated on securing the services of such an eminent divine.

Yesterday Collector Johnson began selling special revenue stamps for the coming year, which begins on the 1st of May. A great many people do not know that they will be required to pay their special tobacco taxes before the first of May in order to secure the benefit of the rebate. As the law stands dealers will, on the first of May, take stock of all their unbroken packages of tobacco where they have exceeding ten dollar's worth. This inventory must be taken in the presence of two entirely disinterested witnesses, who must see that the stamps on the boxes are unbroken and that the packages are full. The collector has blank certificates already to send to applicants. The deputy collectors in the districts will indorse the witnesses and Collector Johnson will indorse the account and send it to Washington when the rebate will be paid. On tobacco there will be a rebate ofeight a pound and on cigars will be a rebate of three dollars per thousand. The tobacco license has been reduced from five dollars per annum to two dollars and forty cents.

To-day a number of physicians of Atlanta and points south of this will leave on the Georgia and Air Line trains for Athens, to attend the thirty fourth annual convention of the Georgia Medical association. The association will convene in the courthouse, at Athens, at 11 o'clock, on Wednesday next, and continue in session until Friday night. The people of Athens, famous for their social graces, have prepared a series of entertainments for the doctors. The principal of these will be the banquet at DuPree's hall Friday night, where, in addition to the good things for the body, a feast of reason will be supplied by the toasts and their responses. The association numbers a large membership, and its meetings always bring together the doctors from all parts of Georgia. The meeting at Athens will be one of the largest of the kind ever held. Board at reduced rates has been secured at the hotels for all visiting physicians and the railroads have complied with the request for reduced rates of fare. The association does not find any difficulty in securing a place of meeting. Several cities and towns will send petitions for the privilege of throwing open their gates to the assembled doctors next year.

SCHOOL TALK.

State School Commissioner Orr's Efforts to Stir Up the People of Rome.

Saturday Dr. Orr, state school commissioner, returned from a visit to Rome. He went there in his general round of work for the cause of education in the State, and last Friday night addressed the people on the need of better facilities for educating the masses in Georgia. He was heard with interest, as he always is. The address was especially appropriate in Rome at this time, because there is to be an election in that city in May on the question of establishing a system of public schools distinct from those maintained by the state authority. The friends of the proposed schools are very sanguine of carrying their point, and think it will be a big step in the progress of one of the thriftiest of the smaller Georgia cities. Dr. Orr, in his address, presented his well matured views on the necessity of better schools in Georgia. Two bills now pending before the legislature, and to be acted on at the July session, contemplate an increase of the school fund that will accomplish what Dr. Orr and so many others desire. One bill proposes to levy a special school tax of one tenth of one per cent. This would raise about $260,000 a year. The other bill proposes to give the other half rental of the State road, one-half already going to the school fund. This would add $150,000 to the present fund. Either bill would greatly improve the school system, and both would put it on a fine basis. It is a well known fact that Georgia accomplishes more than any state in the union in the way of educating the masses, considering the amount of money devoted to that purpose. Dr. Orr believes the way to reach the legislature and to secure liberal enactments is to build up a public sentiment that will demand them. This is the object of his visits and address in various parts of the state. He is very much encouraged by the outlook. Yesterday he had news that the grand jury of Franklin county had recommended the passage of the bill giving all the rental of the State road. Several county grand juries have taken similar action on one or the other of the proposed bills. Both of them have friends to press their passage upon the legislature. Dr. Orr will speak in La Grange Wednerday night and in Vienna the Wednesday night following

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTIONS.

Annual Meeting and Mass Convention of the Fulton County Sunday Schools.

The adjourned annual meeting and mass convention of the Fulton County Sunday School association will be held at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian association, commencing on Thursday next at ten a. m. and continuing during the morning, afternoon and evening. The programme for the morning will consist of the opening devotional services, reading minutes of the last annual meeting, calling of the roll of school, reports of officers, reports of standing committees, reports of special committees, unfinished business, appointment of the committee on nomination of officers, reports from individual schools, report of committee on nomination, election of officers, new business and suggestions for the good of the association.

The programme for Thursday afternoon will be as follows: 2:30, devotional services, led by Dr. Gwin; 3:00, installation of officers address of the president-elect, followed by the following addresses: First, a history of Fulton County Sunday School association. By Thomas Moore, its first president; second, Experience of a Cripple Sunday School Worker in the "Back Woods" of North Georgia. By T. F. Jeffries, of Smyrna, familiarly known and loved by the children as "Uncle Fayette," the "roller-chair man;" third. The Sunday School Work in Cobb County. By Dr. P. R. Cortelyou, of Marietta, president of Cobb County Sunday School association; fourth, short speeches by prominent workers, among them Miss Kimball.

For Thursday night the programme will be:

7:30—Vesper services. Led by Rev. N. Keff Smith.

8:00—Address. By Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., pastor Central Presbyterian church.

8:30—Address. By Colonel T. P. Westmoreland, of Trinity Church Sunday school.

8:50—Address. By Judge J. T. Pendleton, superintendent of the Second Baptist Sunday school.

9:10—Addresses by prominent visitors and members.

The management say that the time not actually assigned to some speaker is free to all members, and it is earnestly hoped that they will not permit a moment to be lost.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

The programme for the 10th annual convention of the State Sunday-school association has been prepared. The convention will meet in Augusta on the 2d, 3d and 4th of May. The address of welcome will be made by Hon. J. C. C. Black, of Augusta, who will be responded to by Mr. R. P. Reppard, of Savannah, president of the association and Mr. J. C. Courtney, of Atlanta, the secretary. During the convention addresses are expected to be made by the following gentlemen: Rev. P. H. Crumpler, of Macon; Hon. G. E. Thomas, of Columbus; Rev. V. C. Norcross, Atlanta; Rev. Wm. Adams, of Augusta; Rev. C. C. McLenn, of Jacksonville; Dr. P. R. Cortelyou of Marietta, Hon. J. H. Nichols of Nacoochee, Rev. A. A. Marshall of Gainesville, Rev. A. H. Gillett of Cincinnati, Mr. R. B. Reppard of Savannah, Rev. W. A. Candler of Augusta, Rev. T. C. Boykin of Decatur, Rev. E. J. Benton of Du-Pont, Hon. M. A. Candler of DeKalb county, Rev. J. L. Lyons of Jacksonville, Judge John B. Estes of Gainesville, Rev. T. W. Moore of Monticello, Florida, and Mr. J. C. Courtney of Atlanta. The "Grand Children's Jubilee" will occur on Friday, May 24th, at 4 p. m.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Record of the Courts of the State and City—The Federal Court.

Rhea's Court.—Justice Rhea tried John Veal yesterday on a charge of larceny. The case was dismissed.

The Superior Court.—In the superior court yesterday, Judge Hammond presiding, the following cases were disposed of: George Williams, burglary not guilty; Mose Vineyard alias George Scott, simple larceny, verdict of guilty and sentence of three years; Andrew Montgomery, burglary, verdict of guilty and sentence of two years; Giles Moore, cattle stealing, verdict of not guilty. This defendant is held on two other cases.

Tanner's Court.—George Hand and Monroe Couch appeared before Justice Tanner yesterday for larceny. Hand was committed to jail, while Couch was released. Dr. A. Linder, who was arrested a few days ago for practicing medicine without registering, and who was under a $250 bond for his appearance yesterday morning for trial, notified the court through one of his bondsmen that he had left for parts unknown, but to secure his bondsmen had left in their charge a fine buggy. Warrants have been taken out against many other physicians for the same offense.

District Court.—The following cases were disposed of in the circuit court yesterday: United States vs. Quarry Simmons; illicit distilling; tried and convicted February 8th last; sentenced to pay a fine of $200 and three months imprisonment in Fulton county jail. United States vs. S. A. North; illicit distilling; order dismissing bond and setting aside scirefacias. United States vs. Samuel Orion; illicit retailing and removing; nol prossed. United States vs. Robert Karr; illicit removing and retailing; nol prossed. United States vs. Charmer McWilliams; illicit retailing and removing; nol prossed. United States vs. Jasper Burts, illicit working; sentenced to one month in Fulton county jail. United States vs. J. W. Bradfield, illicit removing; sentenced to one month in Fulton county jail and a fine of $100 and cost. United States vs. Benjamin Payne, illicit distilling and working; sentenced to one month in Fulton county jail. United States vs. William McGinty, illicit distilling; verdict of guilty; sentence not yet passed. United States vs. John Gunter, illicit distilling; verdict of guilty; sentence suspended until first Monday in September. Hon. John B. Goodwin was admitted to practice law in both courts. Court adjourned.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

THE REGULAR MEETING AND WHAT WAS DONE.

The Petitions That Were Presented—Granting and Refusing Privileges—Resolutions and Ordinances Passed—A Quiet and Harmonious Meeting—The Business Transacted.

When Mayor Goodwin called the city council to order last night there were present Aldermen Lowry and Mecaslin. Councilmen Gray, Dunning, Day, Adamson, Howell and Longley. Absent, Councilmen Brotherton, Ryan, Reynolds and Haiman. The journals of the last session of the council and aldermanic board were read and approved.

The balance sheet showed the following as the amounts of appropriation on hand: Salaries, $16,425.13; public buildings, $1,518.74; sewers and drains, $10,000; paving and curbing, $61,978.06; streets, $64,123.89; cemetery, $3,091 36; public schools, $34,088.14; fire department, $22,215.97; paupers and relief, $1,776.95; lamps and gas, $8,785.79; police, $30,564.75; waterworks, $23,297; sanitary, $10,039.66; sinking $25,000; redemption fund, $3,500; contingent, $31,603.21; interest and coupons, $165,000; total, $513,038.65.

During the reading of the balance sheet, Councilman Brotherton put in an appearance.

PETITIONS READ.

Of H. Lewis, et. al., to be relieved from putting curbing and sidewalk on west side of Thompson street, between Hunter and Mitchell street. Granted. Of C. F. Tyler, et. al., to have the ordinance enforced prohibiting the blowing of locomotive whistles in the city. Referred to ordinance committee. Of Mrs. Eliza Connolly to have sewer constructed so that her lot on East Hunter street, will not be damaged by overflow of water. Referred to committee on sewers and drains. Of W. L. Davis & Co., asking for license to retail lumber at 150 and 160 Whitehall. Granted. Of M. Mahoney, et. al., protesting against taking up macadam on Decatur street, and substituting Belgian block therefor. Referred to street committee and street commission. Of H. S. Alexander, J. M. Arrowood, et al., asking that West Fair street be worked out from Chapel street to corporate line, and that Chestnut street be worked out from West Hunter street to Green's Ferry avenue. Referred to street committee and street commission. Of I. M. Avery, John H. Flynn, et al., for water main on Collins street from Gilmer to Wheat street. Referred to waterworks committee. Of citizens for sewers on Collins street from Merritts avenue to sewer near Pine street. Referred to sewer and drain committee. Of Wm. W. Gann for appointment to the position of guard at the water shed. When this petition was read a communication from Captain Couch stating that fish traps had been found in the lake, was read. The petition was referred to the water commission. Of W. M. Middlebrook et al. to open Glenn street from Humphries street to Wells. Refered to street committee and street commission. Of W. H. Hutsey for advance of $50, assisting in defending the city in damage suit, on account of water works. Referred to committee on contested claims and litigation. Of the Atlanta Street Railroad company for the appointment of a policeman at Ponce de Leon springs. Beferred to police committee. Of Wallace Hough for retail liquor license at 148 Decatur street. Referred to police committee.

COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The finance committee reported the finance pay-roll of audited accounts to be, public buildings and grounds $205.88, paving and curbing $2,367.94, streets and bridges $2,039.94, cemetery $140.62, paupers and relief $104.00, lamps and gas $204.15, sanitary $801.15, waterworks $1,000, contingent $147.06; total $7,010.55.

The ordinance committee submitted an ordinance regulating the sale of imitation butter. The ordinance requires the dealer to stamp his imitation so that the purchaser may know what he is buying. The ordinance was read the first time.

The street committee reported favorably upon several petitions.

The police committee reported favorably upon the petition of John M. McGee for retail liquor license at 234 Decatur street; also favorably upon petition of P. A. B. Meister for a like license at 241 East Hunter street. The reports were adopted.

The fire department committee reported in favor of G. B. Roberts's petition to make addition to building adjoining Willingham building on Decatur street.

The relief committee, upon the petition of John S. Wilson for pay as smallpox guard to the Thompson family, submitted a report referring the petition to the board of health. Adopted.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Councilman Dunniny: That a check for $70 be passed in in favor of J. W. English, which with the check of $50 already passed at last meeting will pay him for two years rent of the safe heretofore used by the city marshal, and which has been in the possession of the city for about four years. Referred to the finance committee.

By Councilman Gray: Be it ordained by the mayor and general councilmen of the city of Atlanta, That section 637 of the code of 1879 be and the same is hereby amended by adding Castleberry street crossing to those crossings at which railroad companies are required to keep flagmen, so that companies having tracks across said street shall be required to keep one flagman at said crossing. The ordinance went over to the next meeting.

By Councilman Howell, That the street committee be instructed to have laid at the expense of the property owners, curbing and sidewalks four feet wide on both sides of the Boulevard from Houston street north to North avenue. Referred to street committee and street commission.

By Councilman Howell, That the time for completing bridges on Humphreys street, over the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad be extended until next meeting of council. Adopted.

By Councilman Longley, Whereas, In consequence of the action of the aldermanic board in reference to bill of Dr. M. C. Martin,

Resolved, That we, the general council, recommend to the board of health to pay the same, and that this action be final, and that the clerk of council be instructed to notify officially the board of health the action of this body. Adopted without debate.

By Councilman Dunning—That the street committee is hereby directed to put down a stone sidewalk in front of engine house No. 1. Adopted.

The mayor and general council donated from their individual purses $40 for the Ladies' Memorial association.

By Councilman Brotherton—The mayor and general council of the city of Atlanta do ordain:

Section 1. That in connection with the sewer now being constructed on Mitchell street, the commissioners of streets and sewers are hereby directed to cause sewer to be built along Whitehall street from Hunter street to Mitchell street; also along Whitehall street from Peters street to Mitchell street; also along Mitchell street from a point midway between Thompson and Forsyth streets, on Mitchell street, along Mitchell street to Whitehall street, and collect the cost thereof from the property owners on each side of said streets, according to frontage.

Sec. 2. Said commissioners shall ascertain the whole cost of said sewer and of the sewer along Mitchell from Whitehall street to the main sewer, near Loyd street and shall pro rate the cost of the same on each side of all of said street, shall pay the same amount per front foot on said street.

Sec. 3. Said cost is hereby assessed against the property fronting on said streets and against the owners thereof at the date of the passage of this ordinance according to frontage.

Council upon motion adjourned.

GRANITE BLOCKS.

How They are Made by Seventeen Scotchmen at Stone Mountain.

Stone Mountain is dotted over with busy quarrymen getting out granite blocks for the Marietta and Decatur street pavements. Nearly two hundred men are engaged in the work. Among them are seventeen Scotch pave-cutters. A Constitution reporter took a run down to see them yesterday. The pave-cutter is the artist in granite. To him the ordinary quarryman stands "as moonlight into sunlight or as water unto wine." He is an autocrat and makes dollars to the other man's dimes. He is the artist in granite and chips it away easier than a grocer cuts off cheese. A few yards up the mountain side on a sunny slope was a quarry. Resting upon the unbroken granite just at the edge of the quarry was the steam drill, an odd looking machine pitched on three legs like a surveyor's compass. The drill was worked by a cylinder and piston rod, supplied with steam from an engine a hundred feet away.

"What do you call it?" innocently asked the scribe.

"Steam drill. Never see one before?"

"Oh, yes; and I had a vague idea what sort of a machine it was, but information that is not reliable is not valuable, therefore I asked,"

"I see, good enough, now just hold a minute and you can see how she works."

The signal was given, there was a splutter of steam in the cylinder, and the drill descended and made a little white cross on the dark surface of the granite. It went up again, turned partly around and again descended, that time crossing the marks that the first blow had made. A bucket of water with a hole in the bottom was placed near the spot and the water trickled down and kept the drill wet so that it could not become heated. The steam came with a rush and the drill ascended and descended like lightning, cutting into the granite which yielded under its sharp point. Deeper and deeper it buried itself until the drill had gone down two feet, when another point was put in, and later still another until in fifteen minutes the drill had made a hole two and a half inches across and six feet deep into the granite.

"That machine," remarked the foreman, "will bore into granite just three times as fast as a man can bore into wood with an auger."

"Why do you go down just six feet?"

"Because that is the thickness of this layer of granite. This whole mountain is in sheets like the sheets of paper in a book. They are from four to six feet thick ordinarily, and we first blast out the granite that thick and then split up into smaller pieces with chisels. Down next to where the men are at work you see the smooth side where the crack was made by the Lewis hole. The sheet there presents a smooth side, plumb as the side of a house for a hundred feet or so. Beneath it you will see where the strata rests upon the one beneath it like the top cake on a stack of batter cakes. In the center you will see the Lewis hole that did the business."

"And what is the Lewis hole?"

"The Lewis hole is the hole that we make for splitting off an immense piece of granite. One side of this piece, you see, is already cleared away. We are now clearing away one end. When that is done we will go to the center, drill three or four holes six feet deep and about half an inch apart, put in from four to ten pounds of powder and touch it off. When it explodes you will find a straight crack, say a hundred feet long, and you will have a piece of granite that long, six feet thick and twenty feet wide, like an immense curbstone laying on its side. The men then begin on one end with hand drills and wedges, and split it off in pieces containing about thirty cubic feet and then it goes to the Scotchmen who cut it up into blocks for the streets."

The reporter clambered down to where the hardy, sandy-whiskered Scotchmen were working. A man who has never seen it done has any idea how these fellows chip up granite. A man with a drill gets out a piece say two feet long and ten inches square otherwise. That is a simple process. The Scotchman takes the piece, glances at it, and sees in an instant the "rift." The granite will split only with the rift and quickly he shifts the piece as his long practiced eye tells him he must, then he catches up a twenty-five pound steel hammer with an edge sharp as an ax, gives the block of granite a few gentle taps as though he was marking off the way he wants it to break, turns it over, comes down with a heavy blow and the piece of granite breaks just exactly as he wants it to. The edges are smooth and straight. The smaller pieces go the same way until the whole piece is divided up into blocks as smooth almost and as regular as those that are now on Alabama street. The least bit of dressing fixes them into the proper shape, and that dressing is done by a man who goes about it with a steel hammer, pretty much as a mason cuts up a brickbat with a trowel. It is wonderful how these men can cut up granite with such ease and accuracy. Watching the rift, they are able to make an absolutely square block with a dozen blows of a hammer as easily as a man could rive out a shingle block, and much easier than a man could burst a chestnut rail cut.

"How do they know the rift?" asked the reporter of Mr. James Wilson, the foreman. All parts of the rock appeared the same to him.

"Why, my young friend," was the reply, "those men have been in that business all their lives. We were put at it by our fathers when we were ten or twelve years old, and have studied nothing else. You know what the rift is, do you not? It is the grain of the granite running in a horizontal direction, and that is the natural way for the granite to split. The rift can be easily discovered by any experienced pave-cutter. I will guarantee that any man of this seventeen can go to Atlanta, pick up one of the blocks out of Alabama street, and tell by looking at it exactly how it lay in the quarry bed, which is the naturally flat side, and which end was up the hill. We have to do it every minnte in the day; it is our business."

"How much do they make?"

"From six to fifteen dollars a day. Six dollars is considered a very poor day's work for a pave-cutter."

"How many of these blocks are to be gotten out?"

"I think about five hundred thousand. There is no telling when it will end. Atlanta will want a big pile of these blocks before she gets through."

"THE BREECHES BIBLE."

A Curious Old Book Secured by a Curiosity-Seeker in Atlanta.

There is a curious old edition of the good book known as the "Breeches Bible." It is often thus referred to and the explanation does not accompany the reference. Mr. Joseph M. Brown, of Atlanta, has a number of very old books of various kinds among which are several antique editions of the bible. Recently he saw an advertisement of a copy the "Breeches" Bible for sale in New York and he determined to have it. The price demanded for the relic was $25 but Mr. Brown was glad to secure it, even at that price. The book is remarkably well preserved. Its pages are perfect. The binding is of the best leather and the volume is good for many years yet. The title page is quaintly illustrated with emblems of the various tribes of the children of Israel, and among the many recommendations of the contents recites that they were "imprinted" in London in 1608 by Robert Barker, printer to "his majestie." The typograhical work is a severe criticism on the progress made in the art of printing during the past 275 years. The letters are almost as clear as steel. These are the old German style and make a beautiful page. The annotations of the commentator are sometimes amusing. The name by which the book is known is attributable to the version of the 7th verse of the 3d of Genesis, which the translator gave in his devout search for the truth. The verse is thus rendered: "Then the eyes of them both were opened and they knew that they were naked, and they sowed figge tree leaves together and made themselves breeches." The artist who illustrated the title page evidently had a lively fancy, but he does not present the portrait of Eve in this trying costume.

Made by Motes:

The Gate City express began operations yesterday. The wagons used by the company are handsome and nobby and the horses are fine. But the best part of the outfit is the harness. They are durable and elegant hand-made work, just such as Motes & Co. alone can turn out. The harness is finely mounted and every stitch is perfect. If the Gate City express company show as good judgment in everything as they did in the selection of their harness they will succeed.

Wonderful Sale.

Messrs. Wyly & Greene have lately been unable to satisfy the demand for the Perfect Pastry Patent flour upon them. But when the fact that this flour gives general satisfaction is taken into consideration the great demand may not be wondered at.

REAL ESTATE NOTES.

No one can question the future of property on Marietta street, now that the street is being nicely paved and macadamized. Don't forget to take the 3:30 car for the sale of the desirable home, No. 269 Marietta street, to-day. T. A. Frierson.

Property so central as that to be sold on James street this afternoon, is worth the attention of all. See 10 cent column and attend sale. T. A. Frierson.

Atlanta should be well represented at Ball Ground to-morrow. The trip will be pleasant, the music fine, the dinner good. Attend the big sale and see the new country. A large crowd will be there, and business men of Atlanta should not neglect the opportunity. T. A. Frierson.

Ball Ground sale and excursion to-morrow. Every business man in Atlanta who can go should do so. Train will leave the car-shed at 7:30 sharp, T. A. Frierson.

A good investment and a desirable home on Marietta street will be sold to-day. See description in ten cent column and take 3:30 Marietta street car. T. A. Frierson.

Dr. Catching, editor Southern Dental Journal, lef last evening for Aiken, South Carolina, to attend South Carolina Dental Association.

First Methodist church revival meetings. Rev W. M. Leftwich, D.D., of Nashville, will preach every night at 8 o'clock. Morning meetings at 10 o'clock.

Trinity Church:

Revival services continue 9 to 10 a m., and 7:45 to 9 at night. Rev. Samuel P. Jones will preach to-night and remain with us several days.

Personal.

I will not pay any bills of my wife's contracting.
† J. H. Canfield.

Mrs. A. H. Deihl desires to return her sincere thanks to the young ladies who so kindly assisted her, at the fair, and especially to the congregation of the Immaculate Conception, for their liberal patronage. April 16th. 1883.

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Winston, Forsythe Co., N. C., March 15, 1880.

Gents—I desire to express to you my thanks for your wonderful Hop Bitters. I was troubled with Dyspepsia for five years previous to commencing the use of your Hop Bitters some six month ago. My cure has been wonderful. I am pastor of the First Methodist church, of this place, and my whole congregation can testify to the great virtue of your bitters.
Very respectfully,
Rev. H. Ferebee.

Rochester, N. Y., March 11, 1880.

Hop Bitter Co.—Please accept our grateful acknowledgement for the Hop Bitters you were so kind to donate, and which were such a benefit to us. We are so built up with it we feel young again.

Old Ladies of the Home of the Friendless.

Delevan, Wis., September 24, 1880.

Gents—I have taken not quite one bottle of the Hop Bitters. I was a feeble old man of 78 when I got it. To-day I am as active and feel as well as I did at 30. I see a great many that need such a medicine.
D. Royce.

Monroe, Mich., September 25, 1875.

Sirs—I have taken Hop Bitters for inflammation of the kidneys and bladder; it has done for me what four doctors failed do—cured me. The effect of the Bitters seemed like magic. W. L. Carter.

If you have a sick friend, whose life is a burden, one bottle of Hop Bitters will restore that friend to perfect health and happiness.

Bradford, Pa., May 8, 1881.

"It has cured me of several diseases, such as nervousness, sickness at the stomach, monthly troubles, &c. I have not seen a sick day since I took Hop Bitters." Mrs. Fannie Green.

Evansville, Wis., June 24, 1882.

Gentlemen—No medicine has had one-half the sale here and given such universal satisfaction as your Hop Bitters have. We take pleasure in speaking for their welfare, as every one who tries them is well satisfied with their results. Several such remarkable cures have been made with them here that there are a number of earnest workers in the Hop Bitter cause. One person gained eleven pounds from taking only a few bottles. Smith & Ide.

Bay City, Mich., Feb. 3, 1880.

Hop Bitters Company—I think it my duty to send you a recommend for the benefit of any person wishing to know whether Hop Bitters are good or not. I know they are good for general debility and indigestion; strengthen the nervous system and make new life. I recommend my patients to use them.

Dr. A. Platt, Treater of Chronic Diseases.

Superior, Wis., Jan., 1881.

I heard in my neighborhood that your Hop Bitters was doing such a great deal of good among the sick and afflicted with most every kind of disease, and as I had been troubled for fifteen years with neuralgia and all kinds of rheumatic complaints and kidney trouble, I took one bottle according to directions. It at once did me a great deal of good, and I used four bottles more. I am an old man, but am now as well as I can wish. There are seven or eight families in our place using Hop Bitters for their family medicine, and are so well satisfied with it they will use no other. One lady here has been bedridden for years, is well and doing her work from the use of three bottles.
Leonard Whitbeck.

What It did for an Old Lady.

Coshocton Station, N. Y., December 28, 1878.

Gents—A number of people have been using your Bitters here, and with marked effect. A lady over seventy years, had been sick for the past ten years; she had not been able to be around. Six months ago she was helpless. Her old remedies, or physicians being of no avail, I sent forty-five miles and got a bottle of Hop Bitters. It had such an effect on her that she was able to dress herself and walk about the house. After taking two bottles more she was able to take care of her own room and walk out to her neighbor's, and has improved all the time since. My wife and children also have derived great benefit from their use. W. B. Hathaway, Affent U. S. Express company.

Honest Old Tim.

Gorham, N. H., July 14, 1879.

Gents—Whoever you are, I don't know; but I feel grateful to you to know that in this world of adulterated medicines there is one compound that proves and does all it advertises to do and more. Four years ago I had a slight shock of palsy, which unnerved me to such an extent that the least excitement would make me shake like the ague. Last May I was induced to try Hop Bitters. I used one bottle but did not see any change; another did so change my nerves that they are now as steady as they ever were. It used to take both hands to write but now my good right hand writes this. Now if you continue to manufacture as honest and good an article as you do, you will accumulate an honest fortune and confer the greatest blessing on your fellow men that was ever conferred on mankind.
Tim Burch.

Anna Maria Krider; Wife of Tobias K.

Chambersburg, July 25, 1875.

This is to let the people know that I, Anna Maria Krider, wife of Tobias Krider, am now past seventy-four years of age. My health has been very bad for many years past. I was troubled with weakness, bad cough, dyspepsia, great debility and constipation of the bowels. I was so miserable I could eat nothing. I heard of Hop Bitters and was resolved to try them. I have only used three bottles, and I feel wonderful good, well and strong again. My bowels are regular, my appetite good, and cough gone. I think it my duty to let the people know how bad I was and what the medicine has done for me, so they can cure themselves with it.

My wife was troubled for years with blotches, moth patches, freckles and pimples on her face, which nearly annoyed the life out of her. She spent many dollars on the thousand infallible (?) cures, with nothing but injurious effects. A lady friend, of Syracuse, N. Y., who had had similar experience and had been cured with Hop Bitters, induced her to try it. One bottle has made her face as smooth, fair and soft as a child's and given her such health that it seems almost a miracle.
A Member of Canadian Parliament.

A Rich Lady's Experience.

I traveled all over Europe and other foreign countries at a cost of thousands of dollars in search of health and found it not. I returned discouraged and disheartened, and was restored to real youthful health and spirits with less than two bottles of Hop Bitters. I hope others may profit by my experience and stay at home. A Lady, Augusta, Me.

I had been sick and miserable so long, causing my husband so much trouble and expense, no one knowing what ailed me. I was so completely disheartened and discouraged that I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gained so fast that my husband and family thought it strange and unnatural, but when I told them what helped me, they said, "Hurrah for Hop Bitters! long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and us happy." The Mother.

My Mother says Hop Bitters is the only thing that will keep her from her old and severe attacks of paralysis and headache.—Ed. Oswego Sun.

Luddington, Mich., Feb., 2, 1880.

I have sold Hop Bitters for four years and there is no medicine that surpasses them for billious attacks, kidney complaints and many diseases incident to this malaral climate. H. T. Alexander

Remember.

I will sell that beautiful Edgewood property today, and I want everybody in search of a nice home or safe investment to meet me at passenger depot at 3 p. m. sharp, and ride down and attend the sale. Terms easy. Free ride to sale and back.
G. W. Adair.

It is well known that central Atlanta property is always safe and profitable. Try your luck on the James street property to be sold to-day. T. A. Frierson.

We have a large stock of boy's and children's clothing at astonishingly low prices. Eiseman Bros., 55 Whitehall street. ‡

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All aboard for Ball Ground to-morrow. Pleasant spring trip, fine music, nice dinner. Train will leave car shed at 7:30 sharp. T. A. Frierson.

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One good Walnut Desk for sale at 21 E. Alabama street.

There is money in the central property on James street to be sold to-day. See description in 10 cent column. T. A. Frierson.

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COTTON AND WEATHER.

COTTON—Middling uplands closed in Liverpool yesterday at 6 11-16; in New York at 10¼; in Atlanta at 9⅝.

Daily Weather Report.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE, SIGNAL CORPS U. S. A.
U. S. CUSTOM HOUSE, April 16, 2:31, P.M.

All observations taken at the same moment of time at each place named.

NAME OF STATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	WIND. Direction	WIND. Force.	Rainfal.	Weather
Atlanta	30.14	56	36	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Augusta	30.11	56	...	N.	Light	.00	Clear.
Galveston	0 30	66	46	S. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Indianola	30.35	63	52	S.	Fresh	.00	Fair.
Key West	30.04	74	...	N. W.	Brisk	.00	Clear.
Mobile	30.23	61	...	N. W.	Light	.00	Clear.
Montgomery	30.13	59	42	W.	Light	.00	Clear.
New Orleans	30.24	67	48	N. W.	Light	.00	Clear.
Pensacola	30.23	57	44	N.	Light	.00	Clear.
Palestine	30 27	62	42	S. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Savannah	30.08	61	...	W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.—* Too small to meas'e

TIME OF OBSERVTION.							
6:31 a. m.	30.18	50	44	N. W.	Fresh	.10	Clear.
10:31 a. m.	30.21	57	34	N. W	Fresh	.	Clear.
2:31 p. m.	30.14	63	30	N. W.	Brisk	.00	Clear.
6:31 p. m.	30 11	62	33	N. W	Fresh	.	Clear.
10:31 p. m.	30.14	56	36	N. W.	Fresh	.00	Clear.

Mean daily bar.	30.15	Maximum ther.	65.0
" " ther.	56.5	" "	47.5
" " hu'y.	51.5	Total rainfall	.10

Cotton Belt.

Observations taken at 5 p.m.—Local time.

Atlanta District.	Max Tem	Min Tem	Rain Fall.
Atlanta	65	48	.37
Spartanburg	64	48	.73
Toccoa	75	49	.49
Gainesville	75	48	.04
Dalton	68	47	[illegible]
Calhoun	66	42	.45
Cartersville	72	47	.27
West Point	80	[illegible]	.00
Newnan	81	49	.53
Griffin	[illegible]	48	.17
[illegible]	76	48	.25

DISTRICTS.	AVERAGE		
1 Wilmington	75	48	.59
2 Charleston	75	54	.27
3 Augusta	77	52	.25
4 Savannah	77	55	.14
5 Atlanta	72	47	.33
6 Montgomery	75	48	.14
7 Mobile	75	45	.00
8 New Orleans	78	52	.00
9 Galveston	78	44	.00
10 Vicksburg	74	46	.00
11 Little Rock	79	50	.20
42 Memphis	74	46	.00
Mean of Districts	75 8	49.0	.16

EXHIBITION

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Each day during this week from 9 o'clock in the morning until 1, and from 3 in the afternoon until 5, we will throw open the doors of our

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The New Club.

About fifty members of the Capital City club held a meeting last night at the Gate City produce and cotton exchange. Much enthusiasm was exhibited and the proceedings of the meeting were of such nature as to readily convince one that the club is a permanent organization. The following officers have been properly installed: H. C. Stockdell, president; Howell C. Glenn, first vice president; E. A. Thornton, second vice president; Arch Orme, secretary; B. M. Blount, treasurer. The governing committees are: J. M. Harwell, C. T. Watson and C. D. Meador, term to expire April 9th, 1884: Frank Holland and Samuel Martin, term to expire December 9th, 1883; Clifton Jones and J. T. Brock, term to expire August 9th, 1883. A constitution and by-laws were read and adopted. The club has leased Dr. Miller's residence, corner of Fairlie and Walton streets. The members are taking great interest in the club, and there is no doubt Atlanta can soon claim the best organized and finest club in the south.

A Burglary.

Yesterday morning Officer Reid, arrested Ben Echols on suspicion of having stolen $70 on Saturday evening last from the residence of Mr. James P. Harrison. It seems that he has for the past three or four months, been in the employ of Mr. Harrison and had to a certain degree, gained the confidence of his employer. Saturday he was ordered to assist the chambermaid in cleaning up the rooms. This he did and afterwards returned to his work in the garden. That night it was discovered that a trunk in one of the rooms up stairs had been broken open, and $70 was missing. Everything connected with the theft pointed to the negro's guilt, and led to his arrest. He denies knowing anything about the money, and expresses the idea that the chambermaid is as apt to go wrong as him.

Death of Rev. George Howe, D. D., of Columbia, S. C

Sunday afternoon Rev. Dr. Boggs received a telegram announcing the death of the venerable Dr. George Howe, for nearly fifty-two years professor in the Columbia Theological seminary, at the advanced age of nearly ninety-two years. This will be sad news to the many friends of this remarkable man. Last Sunday, two weeks, he was returning from church in his carriage, from which by breaking of some part of the wheels, he was violently thrown to the ground, and had his leg broken. He was too old and infirm in health to recover, and he was at last summoned to his eternal home—a summons he had long been waiting for.

PERSONAL.

R. S. Laurin, of Macon, Ga., is at the Kimball.

Dr. R. B. Ironside, of Covington, Ky., is stopping at the Kimball.

C. A. Spalding and wife, of Saugerties, N. Y., have rooms at the Kimball.

Major George J. Jones, of Griffin, Ga., is registered at the Kimball.

Mr Joseph Hart Denck, the distinguished pianist, reached the city last evening.

Chief Connolly has gone to Augusta. During his absence Captain Aldridge acts as chief, and Officer Rapp takes Captain Aldridge's place.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Postoffice at Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, for the week ending April 14, 1883. Persons calling for any of said letters will please say "advertised" and name the date.

A—Robert Adams, R. H. Adams & Co., Captain W. J. Ayres, Rena Alexander, Dr. F. P. Akers

B—A. M. S. Butler, A. [illegible] Bell, Z. L. Bason, A. L. Baswell, Mrs. Feraby Bell, Mrs. R. C. Bailey, Mrs. M. D. Baker, Miss Alla Brown, Mrs. Cornelia Bargil, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mr. Hoppie Brooks, Miss Jennie Boggs, Miss Lillian Butler, Mrs. Lizzie Bridges, James Baily, Frank W. Brosvard, George Burdon, George Bryant, John A. Bennice, John Bradley, McDonald Blakely, Dr. Q. L. Brantly, F. K. Burnett.

C—Mrs. Emma Clark, Annie Carr, Ann Clark, Miss Conelia, Mrs. Ed Cummings, Mrs. M. B. Chivers, Miss Ida May Crist, Mrs. L. J. Clowson, Mary Jane Crawford, Mrs. Mollie Colman, Mrs. Thomas Coziey, T. A. Crawford, J. B. Collins, J. W. Collins, Campbell & Owens, John G. Chatham, J. A. Collins, Neal Colton, M. H. Clower, M. B. Carr, W. B. Cole, Stephen Coleman, col., W. C. Campbell, William Crookshanks, Gardner Campbell, W. P. H. G. Carter, H. H. Collins, Chamer Carter, George A. Chickering, Forrest Catlett, Charles Henry Carson, Miss Lula Campbell, Alexander Crawford, Andrew Campbell.

D—H. A. Disbrow, Mrs. Mary Dorsey, Mrs. Ann Davis, Julia Davis, George Deanin, George Daniel, Benjamin Davis, C. J. Dunham, Dave Drave, Sir James Dixon, J. C. Daniel, T. W. Downing, Thomas Drennan, T. L Durpin, Stephen Dowdell, William Dixson, W. Dorley.

E—C. B. Evans, J. L. Evans, Moody Eynon, Rhody Everett.

F—W. T. Franklin, J. C. Francis, H. A. Flake, Jr., George Finch.

G—Dr. H. J. Gilbreth, W. A Givens, Miss Lou Gibson, Mrs. M. E Grant, Miss Nancie Green, col., Mrs. Lucy Green, George F. Glazener, D. H. Garret, Charley Gordon.

H—Dr. A. L. Hand, Miss Cathrine Holin, Miss Charity Hurst, Mrs. M. B. Hall, Ansman Hillsman, A. W. Hall, Mrs Mattie Hammett, Miss Louisa Howard, Miss Isabella Hunter, Ida Harden, Miss Hattie Haling Mrs. Mary Hitz, Colly Hamlitson, Ervin Hudson, Miss S. [illegible] Hamilton, Venice Hooper, Mrs Mat Hart, col., G. O. Hamilton, col., Holcomb Howell, J. J. Head, Joseph Harris, Jane Hard, Thomas Hatcher, Simeon Hilly, William Hartridge.

I—Archie Irvins.

J—Christopher Johnson, George P. Jones, Miss Orrie Johnson, H. B. Jopely, James Jones, H. W. Johnson, Mrs. Rebecca Jones, R. A. Johnson & Co., S. H. Jackson, col.

K—Clay Keith, F. L. Kidwell, H. G. Kuhrt.

L—Isaac Laten, Thad Latham.

M—W. D. McNeal, Morris Meyers, Miss Eller Miller, H. R. Martin, Miss Jennie McClenathan, Idoline Mayo, Miss L. A. Matthews, Miss Laura McCarty, Miss Mary A. Miller, Mrs. Rosa Moss 2, Mrs. W. W. Milam, Harris Mitchell, Thomas Mooney, A. H. McCoy, A. C. Macky, Mrs. Fannie Merricks, William McDougall, S. J. McLenon, W. Manis.

N—T. C. Nolan, S. C. Nash, Isaac Norris, N. S. Neal, col.

P—Willis Parks, Return Pope, col. 2, Mrs. Mary Powell, B. L. Paul, J. D. Price, J. S. Pinkersohn, G. H. Perkins, Dr. H. H. Pollard, H. H. Parker.

R—H. C. Roberts, Miss Mesteir Russell, Miss Lizzie Raines, Mrs. R. A. Rud, Mrs. M. E. Rogers, B. E. Rood, Allen F. Roby, Mrs. E. F. Ray, Dr. J. E. Roach, Fannie Roach, Ned Reeves, Mrs. Mary Redwine, P. P. Rud, Rhodie Randall, W. W. Rankin.

S—W. C. Staly, Mrs. John Scott, Sr., Miss P. Starks, Miss Sallie Steel, Martha Stark, Mrs. Jane Scott, Eliza Spear, Miss Lizzie Sexton, Sam Smith, John Stewart, J. H. Spurrin, George Swaggers, John W. Stephens, Aiford Sears, Smith & Carter, A. Sheftall, Dock Smith, C. H. Smiley, E. Sexton, Frank Sharp.

T—Orrin Thomas, Miss E. A. Taylor, Miss Mattie Thurman, Mrs. Jane Thompson, Miss Ida Turner, Peter Toliver, Henry Thompson, J. H. Terrill, H. H. Thompson, Calvin Thurwall.

U—Dallas Underwood.

V—E. Varmington, W. W. Vaughn.

W—Miss Mary West, Mrs. M. L. Wood, Mrs. M. A. Wynn, J. B. Winters, H. Y. Wolfe, H. Willis, Miss Annie L. Watson, Master Charles A. Wiley, Hon. J. M. Wilson, Miss Dollie Williams, Miss Fannie Wayman, Matt White.

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One-eighth undivided interest in the following real estate to wit: City lot number 3, in Martin's block, subdivision by Ed A Werner, being fifty-one and one-half feet by one hundred and three feet. Bounded west by Werner's avenue, north by lot No 2 of said block, east by Connally street and south by lot No. 4 a part of land lot No. 53, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia. Levied upon as the property of Josephine Becktoldt, defendant in the within fi fa., to satisfy a fi fa. issued from the 1026 district G. M., Fulton county, in favor of W. L. Stanton vs. Josephine Becktoldt.

Also, at the same time and place, that tract or parcel of land, situated in the first ward of the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, fronting fifty feet on Arawood street, running back same width ninety feet, bounded south by Arawood street and north by an alley, east and west by Arawood's property. Levied on as the property of Titus Harris, to satisfy a justice court fi fa. issued from the 1026 district G. M., Fulton county, Georgia, in favor of J. B. Redwine vs. Titus Harris, Sold at the risk of former purchaser

Also at the same time and place, all that lot on Alabama street, in the city of Atlanta, county of Fulton and State of Georgia, fronting sixty feet more or less on Alabama street, and running back one hundred and fifty feet more or less and being all of that lot on which the building is erected and known as the Ice Factory Building, and now used and occupied as an Ice Factory. The said lot is on the South side of Alabama street and being the property lying immediately East of the guano depot being part of lot number 4, block 6, in the city of Atlanta, part of land lot 77, of the 14th district Fulton county; levied on as the property of the North American Ice Co., to satisfy a fi fa issued from Fulton Superior Court in favor of Porter & Meakin vs. the North American Ice Co.

Also at the same time and place, one two-room frame dwelling house situated on Terry street, adjoining the property of Jack Robinson and Mrs Williams. Levied on as the property of Robert Thomas and pointed out in fi fa to satisfy a fi fa issued from 1234th district G. M., Fulton county, in favor of Gilliam McDonald vs. Robert Thomas.

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April 10, 1883.

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